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Editor's Column

The Year in Review

Following September's Pro Tour–Atlanta event, the first stop on Wizards of the Coast's 1996-97 Pro Tour schedule, I thought it might be an appropriate time to look back at WotC's inaugural season: its highlights, hard-fought battles, and individual champions.

• Pro Tour–New York (Feb. 17–18, 1996): Despite a raging blizzard in NYC, WotC's very first **Magic** professional tournament kicked off inside Manhattan's Puck Building with a total of 347 participants (239 Master-division players and 108 Juniors), representing fourteen different countries. In the Type II Master-division finals, a seasoned Frenchman, 25-year-old Bertrand Lestrée, faced Michael Loconto, a relative unknown out of Grafton, MA. In the end, "Loco," the 26-year-old social worker, outlasted Lestrée and walked away with top honors. They each earned $8,500.

In the Junior division ranks, a pair of 17-year-olds—Graham Tatomer of Santa Barbara, CA, and Aaron Kline of East Windsor, NJ—met to decide the title. In a best-of-five-games match, Tatomer topped Kline, 3–2. For his efforts, Tatomer was awarded a $12,000 college scholarship; Kline a $5,000 scholarship.

• Pro Tour–Long Beach (May 3–5, 1996): In severe contrast to NYC's blinding snowstorm, 80-degree southern California sun greeted all **Magic** fanatics who played aboard the permanently-docked Queen Mary ocean-liner in Long Beach. Some 281 players from thirteen different countries converged to battle one another in a difficult Booster-Draft tournament. When the dust had settled, a pair of New Hampshire rivals—27-year-old Shawn "Hammer" Regnier and Tom Guevin, 22—found themselves squaring off in the Master finals. Hammer, a former pro arm wrestler, outmuscled Guevin, a software engineer, in a down-to-the-wire, five-game tussle. Hammer earned $17,000; Guevin $10,000.

In the Junior finals, Max Szlagor, a 17-year-old from Schaumburg, IL, swept 18-year-old Paul McCabe of Toronto, Canada, in three straight games. Szlagor walked away with $8,400 in scholarship winnings, McCabe $5,000.

• Pro Tour–Columbus (July 4–7, 1996): With Fourth of July fireworks providing a colorful backdrop, several hundred **Magic** players went head-to-head inside the Greater Columbus (Ohio) Convention Center. The format consisted of *Ice Age/Alliances* constructed deck, and a 17-year-old Swede named Olle Råde surprised everyone by overwhelming his competition. Råde, a student, defeated 26-year-old Bronx, New York, native Sean Fleischman in the finals, 3–1. Råde scored a $22,000 payday for his heroics, while Fleischman went home with $12,800.

In the Junior bracket, spectators witnessed an all-Canadian final. Long Beach runner-up Paul McCabe locked horns with fellow 18-year-old countryman Terry Borer. Borer pulled out a 3–2 decision—and $8,400 in scholarship earnings. McCabe scored his second $5,000 scholarship.

• **Magic** World Championships (August 14–18, 1996): The final stop on WotC's inaugural Pro Tour season saw 125 top-notch players from 28 nations arrive at company headquarters. After battling through preliminary rounds of Booster Draft, Type II, and Type 1.5 play, eight top dogs emerged. But to everyone's surprise, the eventual champion was neither Pro Tour "Player of the Year" Olle Råde, nor perennial top-gun Mark Justice of Salt Lake City. Instead, it was little-known, 19-year-old Tom Chanpheng of Brisbane, Australia. A **Magic** player only since April of '95, Chanpheng's white-weenie deck steamrolled Justice's red-black Necrodeck in the finals, 3-0. Chanpheng's winnings: $26,000. Justice's take: $16,000.

Four different events, four different Master-division champions, three different Junior titlists, and momentum that just won't quit. Not bad for a debut season.

Terry Melia

FOR THE RECORD

Since the last issue of *The Duelist Sideboard* went out, we've received our fair share of inquiries from readers asking if 1996 **Magic** World Champion Tom Chanpheng's Standard (Type II) deck, listed at just fifty-seven cards, was used illegally at the Worlds. The answer is: no. Chanpheng used a sixty-card deck. The problem was that we listed only one Order of Leitbur in his decklist when the actual count was four Orders of Leitbur. Sorry about the error. For cleanup purposes, here's the correct tally on Chanpheng's Standard deck:

Main Deck

1 Armageddon
1 Balance
4 Disenchant
1 Kjeldoran Outpost
1 Land Tax
1 Lodestone Bauble
4 Mishra's Factory
1 Order of Leitbur
4 Order of the White Shield
2 Phyrexian War Beast
1 Reinforcements
1 Reprisal
4 Savannah Lions
2 Serra Angel
1 Sleight of Mind
4 Strip Mine
4 Swords to Plowshares
4 White Knight
1 Zuran Orb
15 Plains

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2 Arenson's Aura
1 Black Vise
4 Divine Offering
1 Energy Storm
1 Exile
1 Kjeldoran Outpost
1 Reprisal
2 Serrated Arrows
1 Sleight of Mind
1 Spirit Link

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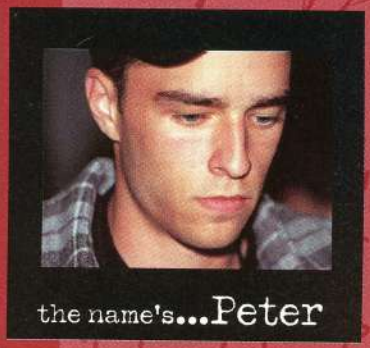
Dear Duelist Sideboard:

I just saw the new *Duelist Sideboard*—the first one that didn't come polybagged with *The Duelist*—and I must say I am impressed! It was very well written and, unlike *The Duelist*, had a lot of meat to it, not just sauce. I'm not trying to knock *The Duelist*, but I spent a few hours reading through the *Sideboard* and spent only a few minutes looking at the pretty pictures in *The Duelist*. The *Sideboard* had tons of great articles to read!

I currently have a subscription to *The Duelist*, but instead of renewing it, I'd like to pick up a subscription to *The Duelist Sideboard*. All of this information and at one-third the price of *The Duelist!* Keep up the great work.

There was one little problem, however. The typo-gremlins must have struck because in the article that appears on pages 30 and 31—"The Worlds vs. Pro Tour"—I'm identified as *Eric* Radonjic. I guess I'll just have to do well in Dallas to make up for my poor showing in Atlanta and let everyone know that my name is *Peter* Radonjic. Oh well, thanks for listening.

Peter Radonjic
British Columbia, Canada



the name's...Peter

Dear Duelist Sideboard:

Because it's so difficult to find your fine magazine (the nearest Arena League site to my house is at least four hours away), I would like to be able to subscribe to your magazine. Can you help me out with the proper information?

Kevin Johnson
Harwood, Indiana

To readers of *The Duelist Sideboard*,

Your response to *The Duelist Sideboard* has been tremendous! Thank you for your comments. Recently, myself and others on *The Duelist* staff have had to make some difficult decisions regarding how we distribute *The Duelist Sideboard*.

You may recall that when *The Duelist* originally launched *The Duelist Sideboard* project, the magazine was just sixteen pages deep, then jumped to thirty-two pages in length. It didn't take long for that to change, as we soon realized the publication had too much to say and not enough space in which to say it. In August, *The Duelist Sideboard* expanded to sixty-four pages to accommodate all the interesting editorial content. At this larger size, it became apparent that polybagging *The Duelist Sideboard* with *The Duelist* was no longer a cost-effective practice.

We'd like you to know that the current system of shipping *The Duelist Sideboard* to Arena League retailers and retailers holding DCI-sanctioned tournaments is only a test. Today, the Arena League boasts four hundred sites around the country, and by January that number is expected to double, and keep growing in the months ahead. We'll be evaluating *The Duelist Sideboard*'s effectiveness after a few issues to determine the following: 1) do players and readers find it valuable?; 2) should *The Duelist* make *The Duelist Sideboard* available to all retailers?; and 3) are players and readers willing to subscribe to the magazine?

We apologize for any inconvenience this interim measure may have caused. For those of you who would like a copy of *The Duelist Sideboard* while we survey, test, and evaluate the possibility of offering subscriptions and expanding distribution to include non-Arena-participating retailers, we are now offering individual copies for sale directly from our offices here in Renton, Washington. U.S. residents please send $3.20 ($1.95, plus $1.25 for shipping and handling) to *The Duelist Sideboard*, P.O. Box 707, Renton WA, 98057. Canadian and Mexican residents should send $4 in U.S. funds ($1.95 + $2.05 s/h), and all other foreign residents should send $6.45 ($1.95 + $4.50 s/h). You can send in MasterCard, Visa, or Discover card information, or a check drawn from a U.S. bank account, or a U.S. draft from a foreign bank; please specify "U.S. FUNDS" and make the check payable to "Duelist Merchandise." Any questions can be directed to Associate Editor Scott McGough at FinkBird@wizards.com .

thanks again!

Wendy Noritake
Publisher

Paradise Found

Getting the Most out of Your First Pro Tour Event

by Melody Alder

...he was duly impressed. "Wotc's really putting on a show," he said grinning.

kay, so you play **Magic** every weekend with your friends. You trade, you collect, and you generally think **Magic** players are cool. You've read about the Pro Tour in *The Duelist Sideboard* and other magazines, and you even recognize some players' names. You've thought about being a spectator at one of the Pro Tour events, but maybe you're a little bit intimidated by the enormity of the occasion.

It's not like going to a baseball game, after all. You can't just get your peanuts and cracker jacks, find your seat, and stand up when the wave comes your way. To get the most out of the Pro Tour, you have to know where to go and you have to know what's available. I attended a Pro Tour event for the first time in Atlanta, and having done it once, I feel like I'm ready to show you the ropes.

Once you pay your $5 general admission fee, you're in a **Magic** lover's heaven, and you even get a program book to this paradise to show you what's happening where and when. The first day at the Atlanta event started the *Mirage* Sealed-Deck tournament, and though it was exciting to watch all the players' reactions to the never-before-seen *Mirage* cards, you probably don't want to stay in the same place for hours watching the tournament. The same goes for the second day's Team Event.

Artist Mark Tedin signs for the fans.

But there were plenty of other things to do. Spectators could participate in Standard (Type II) non-sanctioned tournaments, Standard sanctioned tournaments, a *Pro Tour Collector Set* tournament, *Ice Age/Alliances* Constructed or Sealed-Deck tournaments, a Chinese *Fourth Edition* Sealed-Deck tournament, a Classic (Type I) tournament, and many, many more. In fact, new tournaments started every hour. For the Sealed-Deck tournaments, once you pay for your cards (which you get to keep), you're in. Most of the other tournaments have a $4 to $6 registration fee. **Magic** trivia lovers could even participate in a **Magic** game show, hosted by Wizards of the Coast's own Mark Rosewater. And if you (heaven forbid) get tired of **Magic**, you could participate in live **RoboRally**, strive to become the Great Dalmuti, or learn or play **Netrunner** and **Vampire: The Eternal Struggle**. Prizes were awarded for all of these events, ranging from **Magic** cards to promo cards to T-shirts.

The before-mentioned guide to **Magic** heaven, however, doesn't cover all of the subtleties of this grand event. You might not know, for example, that Richard Garfield was wandering the scene, chatting with people, and answering questions. You could also get your cards signed by **Magic** artists. Atlanta's event brought out Scott Kirschner, Mark Tedin, and Doug Gregory, three men who are not only very talented illustrators, but also quite amiable. Kirschner expressed his pleasure at meeting the people who play **Magic**: "I mean, they're the ones who keep me working," he said, smiling. Just beyond the artists' table, you could find an artists' gallery, featuring the art of Richard Kane Ferguson, Kaja Foglio, and Phil Foglio.

You also might not know that you could find a **Magic** game going on *somewhere*, at any time, day or night. In Atlanta, you'd have been sure to see Pro Tour competitors and spectators playing **Magic** in the hotel lobbies, in the restaurants, just about anywhere that had a floor or a table. If you wandered the lobby of the hotel at 3 A.M., you might have been fooled into thinking it was broad daylight out, since none of the Pro Tour players seemed to be sleeping.

And besides all this constant playing, there was trading—trading not just at the table that was set up especially for that purpose, but also on the floors, at all the tables, and in the hallways. Several people brought their entire **Magic** collections just to trade, so if you were looking for a certain card, you were almost sure to find it.

Artist Scott Kirschner

But wait, there's more. (How much would you pay for this much pleasure?) If you felt like playing in the limited environment, no problem. One of the first things you encountered when you walked in was a merchandise booth that sold everything from **Magic** cards to *The Duelist* to *Mirage* T-shirts. Feeling those hunger pains, but you don't want to leave the scene where all the action's going on? Stroll on over to the Dominia Diner and fill up on deli food. Want to see what the heck is wrong with your deck? Find one of the deck doctors and have it diagnosed. And if you felt the need to test your skills against a WotC employee, well, that's what the gunslinging table was for.

Now back to the main event. The *Mirage* Sealed-Deck tournament began on Friday morning and ended late that evening. Saturday was the Team Event, which was also fun to watch, but as mentioned above, there were plenty of other events in which to participate. Sunday was the day of the quarterfinalists, and for this, WotC went all out. Spectators could see and hear exactly what was going on during these last important games via video monitors and voice-over commentary provided by Mark Rosewater and Mike Elliott of the **Magic** Research and Development team, plus none other than the colorful Shawn "Hammer" Regnier, who, by the way, has an unexpectedly soft-spoken voice for someone who *looks* so intimidating. The camera was positioned in such a way as to give a bird's-eye view of the playing field so you could see the whole game, but it also focused on the player's hands, so you could see what they were holding, and on their faces, so you could see their usually calm, cool expressions. Combined with being able to hear the players speak and the voice-over commentary, spectators knew exactly what was going on at all times.

Watching the game in this way was not unlike watching a sports event on television. And since there were dozens and dozens of people sitting around the several monitors, the audience had the kind of camaraderie that I've only experienced in front of the TV set on Super Bowl Sunday. During the third game of a semifinal match between Darwin Kastle and Terry Borer, Kastle was waiting for a swamp to show up throughout most of the game. If he got the swamp, he'd win. If he didn't, he'd lose for sure the next turn. When he finally drew the swamp, the audience shouted so loud (whether out of gratitude or of dismay or both) that we were later told to "pipe down" because the Pro Tour players three floors above us could hear us.

So hopefully you're able to envision what a great gathering this Pro Tour circuit is. But just in case you don't want to take *my* word for it, I also spoke with several other people who were experiencing a professional tournament for the first time, whether as a spectator or player.

This was Atlanta resident Ray Bornet's first time at a professional tournament, and he was duly impressed. "WotC's really putting on a show," he said grinning. "My son Ben is playing in the Juniors, and he thinks he's in hog heaven." Twenty-six-year-old David VanOotegham from Mishwaka, Indiana, was playing in the Pro Tour for the first time (and almost made it into the Top 64) and had his own take on the action. "I don't see 'the grind' that everyone talks about; I feel very comfortable playing in this environment. I got to pick the brain of [George] Baxter; he was very approachable and I was able to pick up tips by watching other players."

Despite having had three intense days of virtually nonstop **Magic,** plus lots of food, drink, and great company right in front of us, we still heard random bits of conversation involving Crashes of Rhinos and Merfolk Seers and observed all those lovely tables covered with—you guessed it—**Magic** cards. What a great game!

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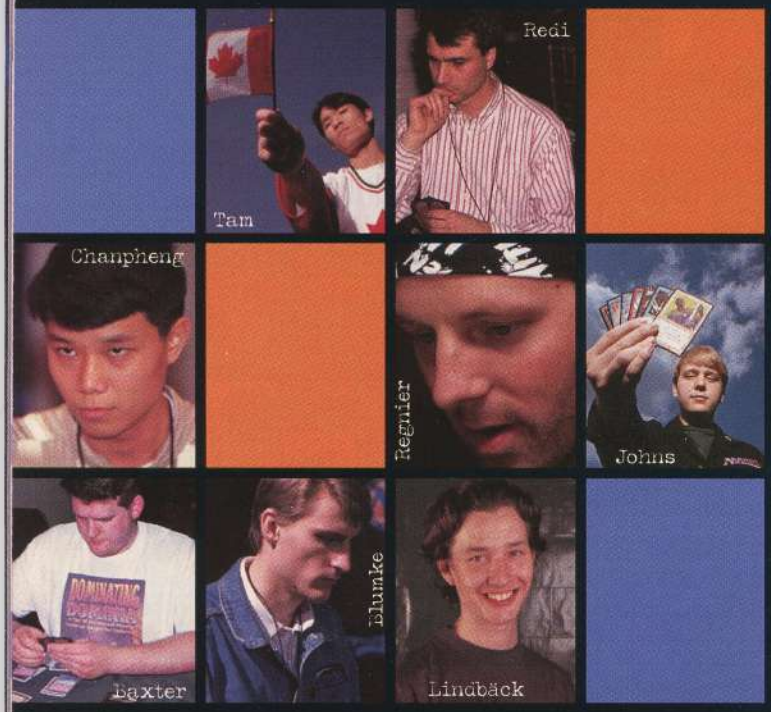


Major League Baseball has its Mid-Summer Classic, the NFL celebrates its Pro Bowl, and the NBA presents its annual All-Star Game every February. Now **Magic: The Gathering** joins the loop.

The first annual *Duelist* Invitational, the premier event for sixteen of **Magic**'s best players, kicks off February 14 through 16, in Hong Kong! This is *the* tournament where the best of the best will be gathered for three days to battle in various play formats, putting contestants to the ultimate test of strategy and endurance. In fifteen rounds, each player will have the opportunity to be matched up against every other invitee. The two players with the best record meet for a final round to see who will walk away the champion.

The grand prize for the victor is a very special honor. He will be able to work with members of Wizards of the Coast's **Magic** Research & Development team to design his very own **Magic** card. This will include not only creating the casting cost and abilities of the card, but also helping with the name, flavor text, and art description.

The Duelist Invitational Tournament

compiled by Terry Melia and Scott McGough

The sixteen participants in this first annual event were selected by their peers at the 1996 **Magic** World Championships, and by a panel of judges. Each player had to place in at least one of these three categories:

1) Finished in the Top 64 at any Pro Tour event;

2) Be a member of one of the national teams competing at the 1996 World Championships; or

3) Rank in the Top 25 of the Classic (Type I), Standard (Type II), or Limited (Sealed Deck) DCI lists at the time the results from the '96 World Championships were announced.

The players' names and description of each one's accomplishments were put on ballots and handed out to every competitor at the World Championships. Each voter was asked to pick sixteen names. The results were tabulated and the top thirty-two names were passed to a special panel, hand-picked by the editors of *The Duelist*, who then selected the final sixteen invitees.

The following sixteen players, in alphabetical order, represent the invitees to the first annual *Duelist* Invitational. Good luck to all.

Contest information on page 11

Thomas Andersson (Sweden)

Age: 26
Hometown: Taby, Sweden
Top Place-Finishes: Top 16, Pro Tour–New York; Top 64 (25th overall), 1996 World Championships

George Baxter (U.S.A.)

Age: 24
- Hometown: Dallas, Texas
- Occupation: Marketing Director; Published **Magic** author
- Began Playing **Magic**: November '93
- Top Place-Finishes: Finalist, 1996 U.S. Nationals; Top 8, Pro Tour–New York; Top 16, Pro Tour–Long Beach; Top 64 (56th overall) 1996 World Championships; Top 64 (49th overall), Pro Tour–Atlanta

Alexander Blumke (Switzerland)

- Age: 27
- Hometown: Thônex, Switzerland
- Occupation: Student of English Literature, University of Geneva; Published **Magic** journalist
- Began Playing **Magic**: June '94
- Top Place-Finishes: 1995 World Champion; Semifinalist, 1996 Swiss Nationals; Semifinalist, 1995 Swiss Nationals; Top 16, 1996 World Championships; Top 32 (29th overall), Pro Tour–New York

Mark Chalice (U.S.A.)

- Age: 24
- Hometown: Claremont, California
- Occupation: Computer Network Specialist; Published **Magic** journalist
- Began Playing **Magic**: December '93
- Top Place-Finishes: Top 16 (11th overall), 1996 World Championships; Top 16, 1995 U.S. Nationals; Top 32 (18th overall), 1996 U.S. Nationals; Top 64 (56th overall) Pro Tour–New York; Top 64 (41st overall), Pro Tour–Long Beach; Top 64 (51st overall), Pro Tour–Atlanta

Tom Chanpheng (Australia)

- Age: 19
- Hometown: Brisbane, Australia
- Occupation: Student, Queensland University of Technology
- Began Playing **Magic**: April '95
- Top Place-Finishes: 1996 World Champion; Finalist, 1996 Australian Nationals

Amiel Feldman (Switzerland)

- Age: 17
- Hometown: Geneva, Switzerland
- Occupation: Student
- Top Place-Finishes: 1996 Swiss National Champion; 1995 Swiss National Champion; Top 32 (23rd overall), 1996 World Championships

Scott Johns (U.S.A.)

- Age: 23
- Hometown: Northridge, California
- Occupation: Student, Cal State–Northridge (Classical Trombone, Conducting)
- Top Place-Finishes: Top 8, 1996 World Championships; Top 8, Pro Tour–Long Beach; Top 8, Pro Tour–Columbus; Top 64 (33rd overall), Pro Tour–Atlanta

Mark Justice (U.S.A.)

- Age: 26
- Hometown: West Valley City, Utah
- Occupation: Card Shop Owner–"Baseball Cards America"; Published **Magic** journalist
- Began Playing **Magic**: June '94
- Top Place-Finishes: Finalist, 1996 World Championships; Semifinalist, 1995 World Championships; 1995 U.S. National Champion; Top 8, Pro Tour–New York; Top 16 (10th overall), Pro Tour–Atlanta; Top 32 (24th overall), Pro Tour–Long Beach; Top 16, U.S. Nationals

Bertrand Lestrée (France)

- Age: 26
- Hometown: Pantin, France
- Occupation: Business Development Strategist
- Began Playing **Magic**: November '93
- Top Place-Finishes: Finalist, 1994 World Championships;1994 French National Champion; Finalist, Pro Tour–New York; Top 64 (53rd overall), 1996 World Championships

Leon Lindbäck (Sweden)

- Age: 21
- Hometown: Stockholm, Sweden
- Occupation: Student, Electrical Engineering, University of Stockholm
- Began Playing **Magic**: October '94
- Top Place-Finishes: 1996 Swedish National Champion; Semifinalist, Pro Tour–New York; Top 16 (10th overall), 1996 World Championships; Member, 1995 Swedish National Team

Matt Place (U.S.A.)

- Age: 21
- Hometown: Kansas City, Missouri
- Occupation: Professional **Magic** Player
- Top Place-Finishes: Semifinalist, 1996 U.S. Nationals; Top 8, 1996 World Championships; Top 16 (10th overall), Pro Tour–Long Beach; Top 64, Pro Tour–Atlanta

Olle Råde (Sweden)

- Age: 17
- Hometown: Göteborg, Sweden
- Occupation: Student
- Began Playing **Magic**: August '94
- Top Place-Finishes: Champion, Pro Tour–Columbus; Semifinalist, 1996 World Championships; Top 32, Pro Tour–Atlanta; 1996 "Pro Tour Player of the Year"

Andrea Redi (Italy)

- Age: 27
- Hometown: Cilavena, Italy
- Top Place-Finishes: Semifinalist, 1996 Italian Nationals; Quarterfinalist, 1995 World Championships; Top 16, Pro Tour–New York; Top 32 (25th overall), Pro Tour–Long Beach; Top 64 (50th overall), Pro Tour–Columbus; Member, 1995 Italian National Team

Shawn "Hammer" Regnier (U.S.A.)

- Age: 28
- Hometown: Manchester, New Hampshire
- Occupation: Card Shop Owner–"Hammer's Comics"
- Began Playing **Magic**: August '94
- Top Place-Finishes: Champion, Pro Tour–Long Beach; Top 8, Pro Tour–New York; Top 64 (33rd overall), Pro Tour–Columbus

Eric Tam (Canada)

- Age: 19
- Hometown: Toronto, Canada
- Occupation: Student
- Top Place-Finishes: 1995 Canadian National Champion; Semifinalist, 1996 Canadian Nationals; Top 8, Pro Tour–New York; Top 8, 1996 World Championships; Top 64 (38th overall), Pro Tour–Long Beach; Top 16, Pro Tour–Columbus

Brian Weissman (U.S.A.)

- Age: 21
- Hometown: Campbell, California
- Occupation: Student, UC Santa Barbara; Published **Magic** journalist
- Top Place-Finishes: Top 64 (53rd overall), Pro Tour–Long Beach; Top 8, Pro Tour–Columbus

Small Victories

Ups and Downs at a Novice's First Sanctioned Magic Tournament

by Alex Anderson

After a 500-kilometer drive from my Ottawa home, entering the Pro Tour–Dallas Qualifier in Toronto was a decision that had more to do with making the most of the trip than my hopes of winning. It was the *Mirage* Prerelease that drew me to the event, but I figured if I was going to spend that much time on the highway for a few games of **Magic** then I'd better get in a lot of games. I did that, that's for sure.

I don't know exactly what I was expecting when I walked into the host hotel. My mouth was a little dry and my palms damp—anxiety and nerves. A relative newcomer to the game, this would be my first real competition and, despite following previous tournaments rather meticulously through *The Duelist*, I realized I knew nothing about what I was about to enter...except that it wouldn't be like playing with my friends.

I found the registration room (my first victory!) already crowded forty-five minutes before competition was to begin and it didn't seem to hold any surprises. Several tables covered with white cloths were set up where later some of **Magic**'s big names, notably Wizards of the Coast's Research & Development member Mark Rosewater, would be "gunslinging."

I was handed a form on which to write the contents of my deck. This I did, smiling as I wrote "Lord of Tresserhorn" in all capitals. I noticed a lot of other people giving their decks a last-minute once-over and I decided to follow suit. Not that it could possibly help. Up until eighteen hours before the tournament, I had believed the format was going to be Sealed Deck, so I hadn't started constructing a deck until 3 A.M.—a mere seven hours before the tournament commenced. Hence my decision to use the Lord. I figured I was hosed anyway and was determined not to take things too seriously.

Looking around the room at my competition, an oppressive feeling of futility descended on me and I fought the urge to bail then and there. I'd paid my entrance fee and I was going to play. If I got hammered in my the first couple of matches I could always leave. At least that's what I promised myself.

The competition itself, an eight-round Swiss-styler affair, was run in the hotel's huge banquet room. More tables, more cloth, and more players. Names were called out and opponents selected. I heard my name and fought through the crowd to find the chair with my scorecard sitting in front of it. My first opponent was an outgoing sort named Lashko who greeted me with a smile and a friendly handshake. I was taken aback a bit and realized that I'd expected the other players to be, without exception, serious competitive types who wouldn't crack a smile if they sat on one.

After playing for the full hour allotted, I retired from the table happy with a draw. Actually I felt quite exhilarated. I'd come away from my first taste of **Magic** competition without being thumped and, though I didn't know it at the time, things would get better. I swept my next two opponents—both people who proved Lashko the exception to the rule about being light-hearted.

That was where my luck would end, however. After going undefeated for the first three rounds, I got hammered, then lost a close one, then got hammered again and I knew I had no chance of making the playoff round. There were still a couple of rounds to play but, somewhat disheartened and exhausted after nearly nine hours of intense **Magic**, I decided it was finally time to bail. I retired to the registration room where a small crowd had gathered around the gunslingers' table where WotC insider Mark Rosewater dueled all comers.

After watching him beat people up for a while I thought, "What the hell? At least I'll be able to say I played Mark Rosewater" and started throwing my favorite Type II deck together. Surprisingly, I didn't have to wait long before sliding into the seat opposite the voice of *Magic: The Puzzling*. "What kind of deck do you have?" he asked in a high, slightly reedy voice.

"Type II," I answered. At least, it was until October 1 when two of the deck's key cards got restricted in Type II.

"I've got a Type II [deck] or a fun Type I," offered Rosewater.

"Play with whatever you want," I replied, having recaptured my playing-for-the-fun-of-it attitude.

"Okay. This deck will beat you in a way you've never been beaten before," said Rosewater, reaching for the Type I. "At least, it should." I then proceeded to draw three Strip Mines, two Hymn to Tourachs, and Sengir Vampire in my first eight cards.

"Now we know why they restricted Strip Mine," Rosewater said for the small crowd, somewhat indignant after I stripped his Library of Alexandria with the third Mine. I went on to beat the gunslinger, winning an *Ice Age* booster in the process, but more importantly putting a nice capper on a long day.

In the end I went 2–3–1 in the competition—not bad for my first tournament. And I did enjoy myself. I learned that anyone can compete. Your name doesn't have to be Justice or Råde to do well. I found myself spending much of the five-hour drive home thinking about what I'll do for the next Qualifier; if I'm lucky I'll do much better. But if not, maybe Rosewater will be there again.

McGOUGH•SOUNDS•OFF

"seeing a mirage"

"When the WotC staff first wheeled out the boxes and boxes of Mirage*, the hush and murmur was classic...."*

by Scott McGough

SPECIAL THANKS TO DOUG ENDE

A full three weeks before its first official appearance, *Mirage* loomed large in more than twenty North American cities. On September 21 and 22, 1996, more than 7,000 people attended a coordinated wave of Prerelease events, lured not only by the chance to see **Magic**'s first stand-alone expansion since *Ice Age*, but also to be among literally the first players in the world to compete with the new cards.

I was intrigued by what the *Mirage* Prerelease events presented to the game. By definition, none of the players would have seen the cards before (except for the loony who went dumpster-diving for *The Duelist*'s checklist before it was officially released...the shredder salesman sends his thanks, pal); and I maintain that limited environments provide the most complete test of a player's ability. One of **Magic**'s greatest strengths is its ability to remain fresh to seasoned veterans while remaining accessible and interesting to newcomers, and I wanted to see how *Mirage* lived up to that test. I decided to recruit a correspondent, Seattle resident Doug Ende, to play in the tournament and to share his impressions with me, since I would never know first hand (WotC employees are barred from sanctioned events).

Ende's perception of Sealed Deck, heading into the Prerelease event, was quite different than my own. He made the following claim: "Sealed Deck is often touted as the best measure of a player's 'skill'—both strategically [deck design] and tactically [dueling]...but card availability is so restricted that elaborate combinations are impossible, so deck-design decisions fall back on the two most efficient, general means of dealing damage: direct damage and creatures. These tactics are somewhat predictable."

The first thing he did was disagree with me, using the argument I laid down in the Pro Tour–Long Beach recap article that appeared in issue #2. He didn't share my high opinion of the Sealed-Deck environment, but was with me on the thrill of playing in it with a new card set. For that reason (and because I couldn't immediately think of a counter argument to his), I sent my volunteer proxy to the event with an eye toward talking to me about it later. I myself would prowl around the perimeter as an observer, and ponder.

Ende's remarks about Sealed Deck's limitations are valid: without the necessary uncommon/rare resources to execute complex combinations, straightforward direct damage and dangerous creatures would hold sway. Deck themes like "permission" or "hand destruction" would be hampered by a shortage of complimentary cards, and these themes would become pillars of a deck's design, rather than its foundation. I was not convinced, however, that Sealed-Deck success could be reduced to a simple formula of lucky creature draws. In my mind, the best players make the most out of the cards they have...no matter how many they have, or in what format they're playing.

My correspondent's reports from the tournament floor supported his initial concerns: fast, creature-based decks were prevalent (one player was able to field a deck with seventeen flyers), and the new creature abilities routinely changed the course of matches. Nearly all of the between-round chatter was about new creatures players had encountered and the amazing things they could do. As the buzz spread, however, I began to realize something: the sheer number of creatures available and the broad range of their special abilities made this Sealed-Deck event anything but predictable.

Mirage is, after all, supposed to be a fast, creature-heavy set. In keeping with its vibrant African color palette and the dynamic additions of phasing and flanking to the rules, *Mirage*'s game play also leans toward the big and the bold. Very large phasing creatures have routinely low casting costs to compensate for their semi-availability; instant Charms yield potent, flexible advantages specific to each color; and low-cost artifact Diamonds contribute to the entire spectrum of mana production. *Mirage*, like *Alliances*, will affect every level of play in all formats. Where *Alliances* accomplished this through the introduction of pitch costs and playable versions of degenerate cards, *Mirage* will do so by reintroducing the ragged but energetic power of a rapid and well-organized creature assault. Just as *Alliances* impacted the Standard (Type II) environment, *Mirage* is especially suited to impact Sealed Deck.

"Ultimately, Sealed Deck cuts off part of the **Magic** 'multiverse,' because many, many cards are only useful when used in certain combinations," explained Ende. "[But] I also learned that my presumptions about Sealed Deck might have been mistaken...who wouldn't want to play with Zebra Unicorn, if at all possible?"

My correspondent and I went into the *Mirage* Prerelease with different views, but we both came away liking what we saw.

Germany's F
Triumphs

The Atlanta Market Center certainly proved to be a unique setting for **Magic**'s latest Pro Tour stop. Not only were the players competing on the atrium floor of the spectacular, 15-story edifice, but they were just steps away from Centennial Park, which one month earlier served as the heavily trafficked tourist site for this year's Summer Olympic Games. The scent of competition still filled the air.

From September 13 through 15, several hundred **Magic** players converged on the Atlanta Apparel Mart to do what they do best. A total of 191 Master-division participants—representing countries including Germany, Australia, Belgium, The Czech Republic, Canada, Finland, Switzerland, and Mexico—along with 59 Junior-division players, battled through several rounds of Sealed-Deck, Swiss-style play. This tournament, however, had an added twist to it.

For good measure, Wizards of the Coast's first Pro Tour event for the 1996-97 season marked the public unveiling of *Mirage*, **Magic**'s ninth expansion set and second stand-alone series. Not only were the players unfamiliar with the cards, but they were unaware of the vast number of large creatures included. Needless to say, the spin made for interesting duels throughout the weekend.

Frank Adler Soars Overall

by Terry Melia

"From what I've seen of the *Mirage* cards here, there appears to be a few broken cards that can change the game in a heartbeat," said Canada's Peter Radonjic following Friday's fifth round. "It's probably a bad thing overall because it increases the luck factor when you have unbalanced cards like that. So far, I'm having the worst luck I've ever had in a sanctioned tournament. I haven't really seen any spectacular plays yet, but I haven't seen any dumb moves either."

George Baxter of Dallas, the 1996 U.S. National Finalist, noted: "Sealed Deck, in my opinion, is not a very good tournament format. But it seems like with *Mirage,* the cards are much better to use with Sealed Deck. There's a large number of very strong cards that are common that everybody can get. So that means there's a high percentage that you won't get stuck with a crappy deck."

Kastle, left, meets Adler in the finals.

Scott Johns of California said, "I think most players like a lot of the abilities. But right now, the big complaint seems to be that there's too much X [factor]. It's like *Mirage* could be called the 'X' expansion."

Drawing powerful, medium-to-large creature cards can change the complexion of any **Magic** game. But with *Mirage,* that seems to be more the rule and not the exception. Said Johns, "I love the creatures; there's very few lame creatures in *Mirage.* They all have decent power, so they all can do things."

Following Friday's Master-division gruelathon, eight players emerged as quarterfinalists: John Yoo of Buena Park, California; Aaron Muranaka of Layton, Utah; Darwin Kastle of Allston, Massachusetts; Canada's Matt Vienneau and Terry Borer; Germany's Frank Adler; Chris Pikula of Chester, Indiana; and Mike Long of Centreville, Virginia. But following Sunday's championship round, Adler distinguished himself as the top gun overall.

"I'm extremely happy," said Adler, who used a red/blue/green main deck during Sunday's finals. "I think my deck from today was a little bit stronger than Friday's because there is more [card] manipulation in it. My strategy was to keep my opponent guessing, so I did some wild things, then he [Adler's opponent] began to make errors. Those errors usually resulted in victory for me." *(For details on Adler's championship, see page 19.)* Adler defeated Kastle in the finals, 3–1. For his efforts, Adler returned to Germany $26,000 richer. Kastle, meanwhile, who competed with a green/black/blue deck on Sunday, earned $16,000. *(For details on Kastle's play, turn to page 20.)*

Overall, the Top 16 Master decks used at Pro Tour–Atlanta contained the following color compositions: red/black/green, four; red/black/blue, three; red/blue/green, two; red/green/white, two; red/black/white, two; red/blue/white, one; four colors (no green), one; and four colors (no white), one. Red was, by far, the color of choice in Atlanta, as 60 of the Top 64 place-finishers (94%) were using some degree of red. Black was next, used in 43 of the Top 64 decks (67%), while blue (37 decks, 58%), green (36 decks, 56%), and white (29 decks, 45%) rounded out the field.

Pro Tour–Atlanta's eighteen-and-under Junior division, meanwhile, sported fewer players than the Master ranks but the competition was just as intense. In the Junior finals, eighteen-year-old Aaron Souders of Elburn, Illinois, swept fifteen-year-old upstart Louis Beryl of Palm Beach Gardens, Florida, 3–0. For his outstanding play, Souders earned a $8,400 scholarship; Beryl, meanwhile, came away with $5,000 in scholarship winnings. Souders is presently a sophomore attending Eureka College in Eureka, Illinois, and his winnings will immediately help defray the cost of school. Beryl, who's only a sophomore in high school, still has time to think about where he'd like to attend college. *(See related story about Junior scholarships on pages 42-43.)*

The next stop on WotC's 1996-97 Pro Tour schedule takes place this month in Dallas. From November 22 to 24, at the Dallas/Fort Worth Lakes Hilton in Grapevine, players will gather once again. Master-division participants will compete in a Standard (Type II) tournament with a combined purse of $150,000. Junior players will compete for the Junior World title and $60,000 in scholarship prize money, including $16,000 to the winner and $10,000 to the finalist.

The remainder of the 1996-97 Pro Tour season includes Long Beach, California, in late February; Paris, France, in April; and New York City in June. The 1997 **Magic** World Championships will once again be held in the Emerald City (Seattle) next August.

Individual Master Division Place-Finishers

Champion	($26,000)	Frank Adler	Köln, Germany	32
Finalist	($16,000)	Darwin Kastle	Allston, MA	25
Semifinalist	($9,000)	Aaron Muranaka	Layton, UT	19
Semifinalist	($9,000)	John Yoo	Buena Park, CA	22
Quarterfinalist	($5,500)	Terry Borer	North York, Canada	19
Quarterfinalist	($5,500)	Michael Long	Centreville, VA	21
Quarterfinalist	($5,500)	Chris Pikula	Chester, IN	21
Quarterfinalist	($5,500)	Matthew Vienneau	Toronto, Canada	24

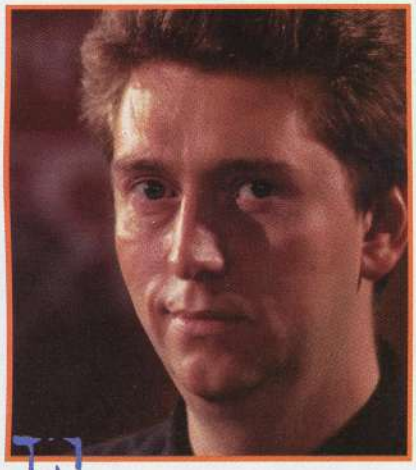
PLACE		PLAYER	HOMETOWN	AGE
9	$3,200	Steven Parks	East Lansing, MI	27
10	$3,200	Mark Justice	West Valley City, UT	25
11	$3,200	MacKenzie Patterson Jr.	Carmel, CA	54
12	$3,200	André Konstanczer	Seckmauern, Germany	20
13	$3,200	Bryce Currence	Claremont, CA	20
14	$3,200	Toshiki Tsukamoto	Toshima-ku, Japan	30
15	$3,200	Jason Zila	Huntington Beach, CA	16
16	$3,200	Andrew Wills	Ann Arbor, MI	24
17	$1,850	Mario Robaina	Manhattan Beach, CA	24
18	$1,850	David Humpherys	Somerville, MA	24
19	$1,850	Marcel Baran	Aschaffenburg, Germany	17
20	$1,850	Tommi Hovi	Kaarina, Finland	16
21	$1,850	Nathan Russell	Adelaide, Australia	21
22	$1,850	Yan Zhang	Manlius, NY	17
23	$1,850	Aaron Terry	Plantation, FL	17
24	$1,850	Jeff Olsen	London, Canada	16
25	$1,850	Adam Katz	New York, NY	25
26	$1,850	Alan Comer	San Marcos, CA	27
27	$1,850	David Korejtko	Zdarnad Sazavou, Czech Rep.	22
28	$1,850	Frank Gilson	Anaheim, CA	29
29	$1,850	Matt Hyra	Seattle, WA	27
30	$1,850	N. Jason Lum	Honolulu, HI	21
31	$1,850	Truc Bui	Los Angeles, CA	24
32	$1,850	Olle Råde	Göteborg, Sweden	17
33	$400	Scott Johns	Northridge, CA	23
34	$400	Brendon Herzog	Portland, OR	18
35	$400	Michael Debard	Paris, France	25
36	$400	Jason Webster	Bloomington, MN	22
37	$400	Biren Amin	Laurel, MD	28
38	$400	Michaël Elkaïm	Brussels, Belgium	20
39	$400	Paul Ferker	Philadelphia, PA	29
40	$400	Byron Bailey	Lynnwood, WA	20
41	$400	Mike Reinking	Cedar Rapids, IA	20
42	$400	Shawn Regnier	Manchester, NH	27
43	$400	Shawn Davies	Ottawa, Canada	23
44	$400	Adam Maysonet	Sunrise, FL	25
45	$400	Brian Hacker	San Diego, CA	21
46	$400	Evan Gridley	Reston, VA	22
47	$400	Sean Fleischman	Bronx, NY	26
48	$400	David Dittmer	Acton, MA	21
49	$400	George Baxter	Dallas, TX	24
50	$400	Tom Chanpheng	Brisbane, Australia	19
51	$400	Mark Chalice	Claremont, CA	24
52	$400	Dan Lofgren	Milpitas, CA	36
53	$400	Chris Bishop	Charlottesville, VA	29
54	$400	Frederik Foure	Devon, PA	23
55	$400	Peter Murray	Lewiston, ME	18
56	$400	Heath Kennel	Arvada, CO	26
57	$400	Martin Jordö	Mölnlycke, Sweden	22
58	$400	David Bachmann	Linden, NJ	16
59	$400	Mattias Jorstedt	Gothenburg, Sweden	20
60	$400	Justin Schneider	Lutherville, MD	15
61	$400	Rudy Edwards	Fayetteville, NC	22
62	$400	Marshall McKalips	Elmendorf AFB, AK	23
63	$400	Preston Poulter	Orange, CA	23
64	$400	Matt Place	Kansas City, MO	20
65		Jonas Ekenvall	Sollentuna, Sweden	–
66		Hashim Bello	Jamaica, NY	26
67		Rick Vasquez	Atlanta, GA	24
68		Mark Venhaus	Hawthorne, CA	27
69		David VanOoteghem	Mishawaka, IN	27
70		Brad Swan	Landenberg, PA	16
71		Paul McCabe	Toronto, Canada	18
72		Michael Dove	Los Angeles, CA	25
73		Dave Lyon	West Des Moines, IA	22
74		Ryan Rusaw	Winnipeg, Canada	21
75		Seth Burn	Scarsdale, NY	19
76		August Eriksson	Gothenburg, Sweden	16
77		Gregory Wibben	Broussard, LA	27
78		MacKenzie Patterson III	Carmel, CA	17
79		Sean Chen	Berkeley, CA	21
80		Bryan McKinty	Sudbury, Canada	22
81		Vaughn, Sandor	Woodbridge. NJ	28
82		Cory Jones	Capo Beach, CA	26
83		Jakub Slemr	Praha, Czech Republic	19
84		Alain Fernandez	Montpellier, France	25
85		Matthew Wang	New York, NY	20
86		Jay Luo	Dunwoody, GA	26
87		Francois Fressin	Marcq en Baroeul,.France	18
88		Yubin Tao	Mountain View, CA	–
89		Jimmy Wong	Vancouver, Canada	29
90		Martin Swan	Aldershot, England	31
91		Craig Mackey	Kirkland, WA	31
92		Dennis Bentley	Churchville, NY	27
93		James Reischutz	Shirley, MA	21
94		Michael Montonye	Witicha, KS	34
95		Brad Mennell	Newton, MA	–
96		Alex Potapoff	Kirtland AFB, NM	26
97		Ondrej Baudys	Hlimsko, Czech Republic	24
98		Kyle Bigos	Tallahasse, FL	21
99		Berkeley Otvos	Wheat Ridge, CO	26
100		Ronny Serio	Streamwood, IL	–
101		Joshua Bradford	Tallahasse, FL	23
102		John Sorrentino	Blacksburg, VA	23
103		Eric Tam	Toronto, Canada	19
104		Martijn Pijnenburg	Renkum, Netherlands	25
105		Kurt Burgner	Torrance, CA	26
106		Alvaro Marques	London, Canada	25
107		John Chinnock	Summit, NJ	24
108		Tim Danziger	Bartlesville, OK	20
109		Daniel O'Mahoney-Schwartz	Brooklyn, NY	17
110		Ken "Flex" Frazee	Portland, OR	26
111		Gabriel Alonso	Mount Laurel, NJ	24
112		Greg Waldeck	Wichita, KS	33
113		John Shuler	Fairfax, VA	20
114		Rick Latham	Springfield, MO	29
115		Michael Donovan	Robertsville, MO	30
116		Ryan Fuller	Burnaby, Canada	17
117		Javier Garavito	Kent, WA	24
118		Jeffrey Wood	Mountain View, CA	30
119		Max Suver	Seattle, WA	16
120		Thomas Guevin	Nashua, NH	23
121		Uri Margalit	Vancouver, Canada	26
122		Jim Hustad	Madison, WI	24
123		Jeff Sternal	Chicago, IL	24
124		Erik Orrsjö	Gothenburg, Sweden	23
125		Arho Toikka	Helsinki, Finland	15
126		Steven O'Mahoney-Schwartz	Brooklyn, NY	16
127		Andrew Sutherland	Concord, MA	29
128		Steven Cowley	Penfield, NY	21
129		Andrew Nishioka	Morton Grove, IL	23
130		Aziz Al-Doory	Tallahassee, FL	20
131		Aaron Snapke	E. Lansing, MI	21
132		David Price	Ithaca, NY	21
133		Bin Chen	Duluth, GA	25
134		Alexander Blumke	Thônex, Switzerland	27
135		Janne Kaistinen	Järvenpää, Finland	21
136		Hans Stokking	Den Haag, Netherlands	19
137		David Leader	Atlanta, GA	21
138		Jerry Ogburn	Wichita, KS	31
139		Thomas Andersson	Taby, Sweden	26
140		Peter Radonjic	New Westminster, Canada	20
141		Brian Weissman	Campbell, CA	21
142		Rob Weimer	Anchorage, AK	33
143		Jon Finkel	Fanwood, NJ	18
144		Eric Wenokor	Brooklyn, NY	–
145		Stephen Durtschi	Kaysville, UT	24
146		Kevin Lien	Moorhead, MN	21
147		John Immordino	Carmichael, CA	20
148		Clifton Dalgard	Berkeley, CA	22
149		Amiel Feldman	Geneva, Switzerland	17
150		Derrick Smith	Berkeley, CA	32
151		Michael Callahan	West Jordan, UT	25
152		Scot Martin	Arlington, TX	23
153		Eric Kirkman	Denver, CO	27
154		Morten Båtbukt	Solheimsviken, Norway	20
155		Homero Caballero	Cruz Mexico DF, Mexico	20
156		Daniel Redys	Winder, GA	35
157		Christer Sundqvist	Jönköping, Sweden	24
158		Bruce Swiney	Tacoma, WA	21
159		David Chen	Berkeley, CA	25
160		Gabe Connon	Olympia, WA	17
161		Dennis Nichols	Omaha, NE	25
162		Matt Mortensen	Mesa, AZ	18
163		Dominic Crapuchettes	Annapolis, MD	26
164		John Loniak	Harrison, AR	26
165		Kenneth Knighton	San Angelo, TX	26
166		Adam Jansen	Roselle, IL	15
167		Steve Easton	Henley on Thames, England	32
168		Adam Green	Nashua, NH	21
169		Jason Bates	Lubbock, TX	19
170		Cyrille Lucas	Courcouronnes, France	19
171		Mike Dando	Hemel Hempstead, England	23
172		Travis Thomas	Coral Springs, FL	22
173		Rob Salmon	Stopsley, England	25
174		Worth Wollpert	State College, PA	21
175		Tim Dibartolo	Blackwood, NJ	21
176		Terry Tsang	Burnaby, Canada	19
177		Michael Loconto	Grafton, MA	27
178		Marcel Sagel	Groningen, Netherlands	24
179		Curtis Schwaderer	Des Moines, IA	32
180		Ilja Rotelli	Trieste, Italy	26
181		Yuh-Kong Liao	Tallahassee, FL	26
182		Michael Lewis	Mountain View, CA	23
183		Arto Hiltunen	Turku, Finland	20
184		Kristopher Lohman	Kaneohe, HI	22
185		Scott Hunstad	Abeen, SD	22
186		Vince Epker	Olympia, WA	26
187		Joseph Peters	Ferndale, WA	18
188		Erik Pedersen	Morrisville, PA	23
189		Davide Piedimonte	Parma, Italy	19
190		Yori Rubinson	Evanston, IL	21
191		Robert Watkins	Sunnyvale, CA	30
192		Eric Price	Everett, WA	23

TOP OF THE HEAP

Savage Twister to the Rescue

BY TERRY MELIA

"When I first looked at it, I thought, 'Oh no, just another boring card game.'"



Frank Adler's no stranger to **Magic**. He's been playing the game for nearly three years, ever since being introduced to it by members of his role-playing guild in Germany.

"When I first looked at it, I thought, 'Oh no, just another boring card game,'" recalled Adler. "But then after I tried playing my first game, I knew I had to learn it."

It's a good thing he did. Although a relative newcomer to the Pro Tour scene, Adler's now a force to be reckoned with. At Pro Tour–Atlanta, he not only made his presence felt, but earned $26,000 by finishing first in the always competitive Master-division ranks. Atlanta marked Adler's second Pro Tour event; he competed at Pro Tour–Long Beach, but finished outside of the Top 64.

"I'm very happy with my performance here. I was shooting to make the Top 16," said the thirty-two-year-old computer programmer from Koln, Germany. "At Long Beach, I didn't train for Booster Draft enough; I had only played it twice before in Germany. In Germany, no one plays Booster Draft."

But Sealed-Deck play in Germany is another story. And for Adler in Atlanta, Sealed Deck spelled victory. "I've trained in a lot of Sealed-Deck tournaments, so I think that helped," he said.

On Friday, competing against a field of 191 other players through nine exhausting rounds of Swiss-style play, Adler posted an impressive match record of 7–1–1. His only defeat came against Jimmy Wong of Canada in Round 3, while his draw occurred, interestingly enough, against eventual championship-round opponent Darwin Kastle of Allston, Massachusetts.

Adler's deck from Friday sported a couple of good direct-damage spells and several medium-to-large creatures. "I had some good creatures, yes, and two good flyers that helped me win several games," he said, "but the library manipulation card [Sealed Fate] won me more games."

In Sunday's quarterfinals, which sported a best-of-three-games format, Adler squared off against Canada's Matt Vienneau. Adler's sealed deck on Sunday included three key X spells: Tropical Storm, Savage Twister, and Kaervek's Torch. The Savage Twister went to work first.

In Game 1, Adler's patience paid off. He waited until Vienneau laid out several creatures, taking damage along the way, then dropped Savage Twister—immediately wiping out five of Vienneau's damage-doers. "I took some damage, yes, but then I was able to overrun him with the creatures I had backed up in my hand," he said.

In Game 2, Vienneau found himself mana-screwed and never could get on track.

In the best-of-five semifinals, Adler met John Yoo of Buena Park, California, Friday's top player (8–0–1 match record). Though their match went to a fifth and deciding game, each of Yoo's three defeats were largely the result of drawing too few land cards. "John was a very good opponent and played his deck well, but I think I got lucky since he wasn't able to draw a whole lot of mana."

In the championship finals, Adler faced Kastle. After splitting the first two games, the players battled gallantly in Game 3. Kastle got the upper hand early on and led 20–9 eighteen minutes into the contest. However, in an effort to stop Adler's Kaervek's Torch, Kastle added white to his deck. The strategy, however, actually backfired.

Said Adler, "He had tricked me with all of his big creatures in Game 1, so I had put one or two more creatures in my deck to hold him off. I think he made a mistake, though, to change his colors; that actually made his deck weaker."

Added Kastle, "It's arguable that Frank outplayed me. But Game 3 was especially disappointing because it was the second time [also in Game 1] where I felt like I played myself out of the match."

In Game 4, Adler got card advantage early on and Kastle—with too much land and not enough creatures—was history.

'It's Arguable He Out-played Me'

Kastle's Wish Comes True, Sort of

by Terry Melia

Be careful what you wish for, because you might just get it. Here's what Darwin Kastle had to say about final-round opponent Frank Adler, moments before their championship match.

"No offense to Frank, but I'm really happy he won. I hate to admit this, but I was really intimidated by John Yoo since everybody says he's the best Sealed-Deck player around. I was also a little bit intimidated because everyone was saying he's got a God deck. So just as long as I don't have to play John, that's fine."

Perhaps Kastle should have hoped that Yoo emerged victorious in the semifinals. Perhaps he should've donned a Braves baseball cap, instead of the White Sox cap he was sporting. After all, he was in Atlanta.

"I'm really not a superstitious person," said the twenty-five-year-old marketing administrator from Allston, Massachusetts. "I just thought it looked pretty cool."

Kastle couldn't have been happier playing Adler in the finals. The pair had met previously in the eighth round of Friday's nine-round **Magic** marathon and actually wound up splitting their match. Kastle won the first game, Adler the second, and the third duel was called on account of time.

"It was a pretty crucial match for both of us and I felt I was gonna win that third game but then time ran out," said Kastle. "Oh well, now we have a rematch in the finals. I think Frank's a solid player and a solid deck builder, but I don't think he's as good as John. At least I hope not. If he is, I'm in trouble."

Kastle found trouble in a hurry. Playing a green/black/blue deck, he encountered tough terrain against Adler's mix of red/blue/green. In fact, at times, he longed for his deck from Friday, a blue/red/black combination that tallied a 7–1–1 match record.

"My favorite colors in Sealed Deck are red, blue, and black. On Friday, I had great blue, great red, and great black," explained Kastle. "But today, I had a weaker selection. I wasn't happy."

After Kastle and Adler split the first two games of the finals, Adler got the upper hand by coming from behind to win Game 3. "Frank didn't have that many good creatures," said Kastle. "The two [Ekundu] Cyclopses were his strength, but the big problems I had were with Savage Twister and [Kaervek's] Torch. I played the whole first game thinking he didn't have a Torch, but apparently my information was incorrect."

Throughout the finals, in an effort to combat Adler's mass-damage spells, Kastle kept swapping out his green for either red or white. In Game 3, however, his deck alteration would cost him.

"Game 3 was disappointing because that was the second time where I felt like I played myself out of the match. In Games 1 and 3, I feel like if I played differently, I would have won. I mean, I was really disheartened to lose [Game 3] sitting on a Drain Life in my hand."

Sensing fear in his opponent, Adler wasted little time in beating Kastle in Game 4. "Frank played a lot better today than when I played him on Friday," said Kastle. "It's arguable that he outplayed me." The finals lasted just two hours and fifteen minutes.

Despite stumbling in the finals, Kastle still walked away with $16,000.

"The first thing I'm gonna do is pay off my credit-card debt. The second thing is I'm gonna pay off my friends who supported me 'cause we always split at big tournaments. And then I'm gonna put some of it in the bank to wait on those taxes I'm gonna have to pay off."

Asked to reveal the keys to doing well in Sealed-Deck play, Kastle shared the following opinion:

"I have certain basic philosophies which I think are pretty sound," he said. "If you play with a lot of mana and you play with an aggressive deck, a lot of times somebody who may have more powerful cards than you, but whose mana comes out a little slower than yours...then you can overwhelm them before they really get going."

No argument here.

by Jeff Lin

So Close, yet So Far

John Yoo
Can't Get Enough Magic

For John Yoo, **Magic** has become the habit he can't kick.

"I've quit **Magic** many times," said Yoo, a 22-year-old from Irvine, California. "I've quit two or three times now. I sold all my cards, got more, sold all my cards, got more. I always quit for a little while."

Yoo, who's been playing for about two years, quit most recently at about the time of Pro Tour–Long Beach in May this year. The lure of money on the **Magic** Pro Tour, though, was enough incentive to get Yoo back in the game. "A couple of friends I know did pretty well [at the professional tournaments], and they won some money. And I figured if they could do it I could too." For Yoo, a business student at Concordia University, getting back into **Magic** has been the right decision—financially, anyway.

Yoo made it all the way to the semifinals before getting swept by eventual champion Frank Adler, 3–0.

The high finish went beyond Yoo's initial expectations. "Just to make it all the way out here [tied for third]—I'm really happy," he said. "When I made my deck on Friday [for the opening rounds], I was just hoping to get $400 [Top 64]. I wasn't even dreaming that I could come out first with that deck." But first is where Yoo found himself at the end of the day Friday, undefeated with a 8–0–1 record.

In the quarterfinals, Yoo beat Mike Long 2–1 before the mana gods aligned against him. Against Adler, Yoo drew a combined five lands in the first two games, despite thorough and methodical shuffling and playing with an almost 50% mana ratio: 19 lands in a 41-card deck. "The last game, I drew one mana my opening draw and didn't draw another mana for a while. It's just bad luck," he said. "I just got really unlucky. It just wasn't in it for me."

Though some may attribute Yoo's high finish to luck or fortuitous matchups, Yoo has played more than his share of Limited-Environment (Sealed-Deck) games.

"Sealed deck is my game," he said. "When I'm back home, I play sealed deck almost every day, at least three or four times a day with my friends," he said. "We play grandmaster [format] all the time.... Sometimes we'll do seven grandmasters in a day."

Aaron Muranaka
Making an Impression

Finishing in the semifinals round at your very first **Magic** professional tournament isn't a bad way to make your debut on the Pro Tour circuit. Just ask Aaron Muranaka.

Muranaka, a 19-year-old sophomore at the College of Eastern Utah, made it all the way to the Round of 4 before losing 3–1 to eventual finalist Darwin Kastle. "I'm really happy [with my finish]," he said.

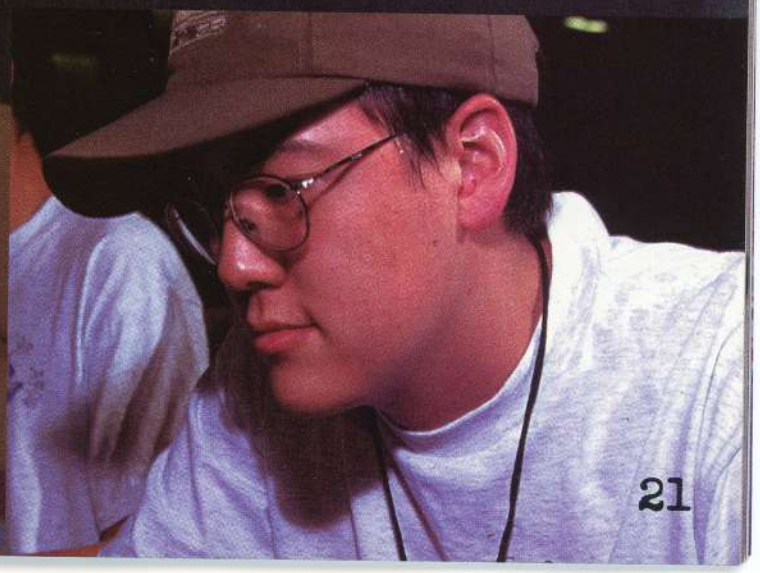
Muranaka had defeated Chris Pikula 2–0 in the quarterfinals to advance, and things looked good as he won the first game against Kastle.

"The first game [against Kastle], I was really excited. I got Reign of Terror at the right time and wiped out his creatures," he said. "I was really excited after the first game because I thought I had a better deck."

Unfortunately, even if he did have a better deck, the draw just wasn't there for the Layton, Utah, resident, as Kastle took the next three games. "I had a lot of cards that never even came out of my deck—or I'd have cards with dual-color casting costs and I just couldn't get them out," he said. "I just got run over. It happens."

Muranaka entered the finals second by finishing the qualifying round with a 7–1–1 record. "Friday, I had a God deck," said Muranaka. "I had three X spells and a bunch of big creatures." Muranaka's only loss came at the hands of fellow semifinalist John Yoo.

Muranaka seemed pretty pleased with his finish, for which he won $9,000, as well as invitations to the next four professional tournaments. Not bad for a rookie.



by Jeff J. Lin

No Happy Medium

Chris Pikula

Feast or famine—that's how it was for Chris Pikula when it came to drawing lands in the quarterfinals. The happy medium never showed up for the twenty-one-year-old student on the final day of Pro Tour–Atlanta.

"[In the first game] I had four creatures with a casting cost of 4 in my hand and drew only three land—I never drew a fourth," said Pikula. "And they're all good creatures. It was very upsetting."

In the second game, Pikula got off to a good start, getting out a couple creatures before his deck stalled. "I drew land for four or five turns, and he [Aaron Muranaka] kept drawing 1/1 blockers to stay alive. By the time I drew anything good, he got his dragon (Jungle Wurm) out and with his Dark Banishing, he targeted my flyer that was hitting him for 3 damage a turn.

"I even cast the blue card that allows you to draw three cards and place two on the top or bottom of your library [Dream Cache], and I drew three land. It wasn't good."

Pikula studies applied physics at Cornell University in Ithaca, NY.

All things considered, though, defeating 185 other players to make it into the Round of 8 wasn't bad considering it was only Pikula's second Sealed-Deck tournament ever. His first was at a Neutral Ground tournament in New York City a couple weeks earlier. He'd also finished dismally at Pro Tour–Long Beach.

Pikula thought that string might continue when he lost his first match of the tournament to Muranaka, who'd end up in second place on Friday. "I didn't realize my deck [the first day] was so good because I was like, 'Wow, I just got beat in the first round.'" But it was enough to put him in the Top 8 as he went on to win the next seven rounds, ending Friday with a 7–2 record, good enough for seventh place.

Lose the Bow Tie

Mike Long

Next time, leave the bow tie at home.

At least that's what Mike Long concluded after losing in the quarterfinals on Sunday. Long had dressed for the final day in a white shirt, blue-and-black-striped suspenders, and a blue-striped bow tie for luck; but alas, it didn't help.

"I think I'm going to drop the bow tie thing because this is two tournament finals now where it hasn't worked out," he said. "I play well with the suspenders, but [get] bad matchups with the bow tie." Long's other bow-tie loss was in the semifinals of the U.S. National Championships in July. It should be noted, however, that Long's bow tie was red-and-green at that tournament.

Dress accessories aside, Long, who made both the 1995 and 1996 U.S. National Teams, didn't feel he got the cards that could take him to victory on the last day in Atlanta. "My deck [for the final day] wasn't very good," he said. "It had a few decent cards, but they were spread across five colors and they came together in an awkward manner so that I couldn't handle a better deck."

That better deck belonged to John Yoo, who beat Long 2–1 to advance to the semifinals. Long expressed surprise that he was even able to win a single game during his quarterfinal match. "I think I played extremely well—I don't think he [Yoo] was at the top of his game," he said.

Long, 21, from Centreville, VA, studies history at James Madison University and plays regularly at the Time Capsule in Chester, VA, two hours away. Though he's played in every Pro Tour event so far and plans to attend every one through Paris, he says he doesn't play in many local tournaments. "I stick mostly to the big ones," he said.

Savage Twister of Fate

Matt Vienneau

Talk about mistaken instincts. Matt Vienneau of Canada thought he had no chance of making the Top 8 on the first day when he first saw his cards. "Friday I felt I had a mediocre deck," he recalled, "but things went well for me. It all worked out." Vienneau ended the first day with a 7–1–1 record, good enough for fourth place going into the final day.

For the finals, all the players were issued new sealed decks, and Vienneau got all the strong cards he'd been missing on Friday. "I felt I could handle just about anything," he said. "I had sixteen creatures and a lot of them were good ones: 3/3 creatures, 4/2 creatures, creatures with flying, Incinerate, Power Sink, Ray of Command, Phyrexian Purge…

"I figured I was in good position," he continued. "I playtested [the deck] as I was building it, and I put out four creatures by my eighth turn."

In the opening game against quarterfinal opponent Frank Adler of Germany, that's exactly what Vienneau did. The problem was Adler was holding a Savage Twister ("Savage Twister deals X damage to each creature"), which he played after all of his own creatures had phased out, leaving Vienneau defenseless. "I just couldn't recover [after that]," he said. "[Before that,] I was hitting him for 8 damage when I attacked."

In the second game, Vienneau got off to a slow start, hampered by mana problems, but it looked like the twenty-four-year-old computer programmer from Toronto would pull the same trick on Adler that Adler pulled in the first game: Vienneau was holding a Phyrexian Purge ("Pay 3 life per target: Destroy any number of target creatures"). Unfortunately, Vienneau never got the single red mana he needed the whole game, despite having five mountains in his deck. "It was just horrible," he said.

Despite it all, Vienneau, a solid Sealed-Deck player (once ranked as high as second in the DCI) and a quarterfinalist at the 1996 Canadian National Championships, was pretty satisfied. "I can't be too upset," he said. "I'm really happy that I did this well."

Better Left Unsaid

Terry Borer

Terry Borer will probably think twice before asking the question "Do you have any fast effects?" the next couple times he plays **Magic**. That question cost him at least $3,500 by deciding the final game of his quarterfinal match against Darwin Kastle.

Borer had split the first two games against Kastle, but seemed to have the third game in hand. Though Kastle had Borer down to just 1 life, Borer had enough creatures to finish Kastle off—if he used the Grave Servitude ("You may choose to play Grave Servitude as an instant; if you do, bury it at end of turn. Enchanted creature gets +3/-1 and is black.") in his hand on one of his unblocked creatures. Kastle, on the other hand, was holding onto Drain Life but had drawn only one of the eight swamps he had in his deck.

After declaring his potentially game-winning attack, Borer then asked Kastle, "Do you have any fast effects?" Kastle declined, and Borer then attempted to cast the Grave Servitude on one of his unblocked creatures, which would have brought Kastle to 0 life. But tournament Head Judge Tom Wylie wouldn't allow it. By asking the question, Borer (as the active player) implied that he wasn't going to cast any fast effects; since Kastle declined to cast anything, the "window" to cast effects had closed and Borer still had Grave Servitude in his hand. The next turn, Kastle drew his second swamp and cast Drain Life for 1 damage to win.

An upset Borer contested the ruling, but to no avail. "I thought it was a well-planned attack; everything was going cool…[when I asked if he had any fast effects] I meant at this time—I didn't mean for the rest of the game," he said. "That was ruled against me several times in the tournament on Friday, where people would ask me that and I'd say no, and then they wanted to do something and they were allowed to. Not by Tom Wylie, I guess, but I don't call the Head Judge for every ruling. I was really upset. They're making an interpretation of the rule that goes against me because of the semantics of my question."

Borer, who studies engineering science at the University of Toronto, said he was planning to donate the $5,500 in prize money to charity. "I'm not super rich, but I have what I need and I have my Junior scholarship [Borer won the Junior division at Pro Tour–Columbus] and I have my team tournament [Borer was a member of Team Canada, which tied for third]," he said. "I play poker and sometimes when I win I do the same thing."

The tournament was Borer's first as a Master-division competitor—he turned nineteen on August 29, which disqualified him from competing in the Junior division—and despite the ruling, he was satisfied with his finish. "I really wanted to finish first. I really wanted to establish myself as one of the top **Magic** players," he said, "I guess I met all my goals."

Top 8 Master Decks from Friday

analysis by Beth Moursund

John Yoo, United States (first place)

Yoo put only two non-creature spells in his deck: Flare and Pacifism. Everything else was creatures—mostly small creatures—with ways to avoid being blocked. His best cards, he said, were his two Unseen Walkers, which not only have forestwalk but can give other creatures forestwalk as well. These helped him win a lot of games. "I think I only ran up against one person who wasn't playing green, and I sideboarded him out. Everybody was playing green." He also had Dwarven Nomads to make small creatures unblockable, and Basalt Golem to turn anything that blocks it into a 0/2 Wall. Finally, seven of his creatures had flying. He used his Benevolent Unicorn to save his 1-toughness creatures from Flares and Chaos Charms.

1 Decklist

1	Basalt Golem	2	Patagia Golem
1	Benevolent Unicorn	1	Searing Spear Askari
1	Burning Shield Askari	1	Uktabi Faerie
1	Desert Nomad	2	Unseen Walker
1	Ekundu Griffin	1	Unyaro Griffin
1	Femeref Scouts	1	Viashino Warrior
1	Flare	1	Wild Elephant
1	Giant Mantis	1	Windreaper Falcon
1	Granger Guildmage	1	Zuberi, Golden Feather
1	Igneous Golem	6	Forest
1	Mtenda Lion	6	Mountain
1	Pacifism	6	Plains

Aaron Muranaka, United States (second place)

Muranaka may have had the most direct damage of any player in the Master division: seven damage spells, including two Kaervek's Torches and Volcanic Geyser. He didn't have too many creatures, but with all his direct damage, he didn't need many—especially if he got his Crash of Rhinos into play. He also had Bone Harvest to recycle creatures from his graveyard, and Preferred Selection to race through his deck looking for the direct damage. His strategy was simple: "Just pound on 'em with big creatures and burn 'em to death," he said. "It wasn't a thinking person's deck."

2 Decklist

1	Bone Harvest	1	Phyrexian Vault
1	Burning Shield Askari	1	Preferred Selection
1	Crash of Rhinos	2	Quirion Elves
1	Enduku Cyclops	1	Raging Spirit
1	Femeref Archers	1	Sandstorm
1	Flare	1	Spitting Earth
2	Giant Mantis	1	Volcanic Geyser
1	Grasslands	1	Windreaper Falcon
1	Incinerate	7	Forest
1	Jungle Wurm	7	Mountain
2	Kaervek's Torch	3	Swamp
1	Patagia Golem		

Darwin Kastle, United States (third place)

Kastle played a well-rounded deck that included a bit of direct damage, a few anti-creature spells, some small- and medium-sized creatures, and two huge phasing Sandbar Crocodiles. "The strength of my deck was that I didn't have any game-breaking cards; I just had a very balanced deck," he said. He mentioned that some of his best cards were in his sideboard. He had misread Thirst during the deck-construction phase and didn't put it in his main deck, but as soon as he had it played against him and realized that it didn't have cumulative upkeep, he started using it in each match. Another of his sideboard cards, Benthic Djinn, was a game-winner against any opponent playing blue.

3 Decklist

1	Azimaet Drake	1	Grave Servitude
1	Bay Falcon	1	Haunting Apparition
1	Breathstealer	1	Incinerate
1	Burning Palm Efreet	1	Reality Ripple
1	Cadaverous Knight	1	Restless Dead
1	Cerulean Wyvern	2	Sandbar Crocodile
1	Chaos Charm	1	Shauku's Minion
1	Dark Banishing	1	Talruum Minotaur
2	Ekundu Cyclops	5	Island
1	Enfeeblement	7	Mountain
2	Flare	6	Swamp

Matthew Vienneau, Canada (fourth place)

Vienneau built one of the most interesting decks of the day. He had only a tiny bit of direct damage, and just ten creatures total, one of which was a Wall. What he did have was plenty of ways to frustrate his opponent, beginning with the most annoying card in *Mirage*, Grinning Totem. Next came two excellent enchantments: Thirst to neutralize an opponent's creature, and Barbed Foliage to depower flankers and damage or kill non-flying attackers. He could often destroy two creatures at once with Ray of Command; he could stop all damage from one attack with Fog; and he could deal with a variety of threats with two counterspells. He eventually won most of his games with Crash of Rhinos or Goblin Scouts.

4 Decklist

1	Armor of Thorns	1	Grinning Totem
1	Barbed Foliage	1	Jungle Troll
1	Boomerang	1	Jungle Wurm
1	Chaos Charm	1	Moss Diamond
1	Cinder Cloud	1	Power Sink
1	Crash of Rhinos	1	Ray of Command
1	Dissipate	1	Searing Spear Askari
1	Dream Fighter	1	Talruum Minotaur
1	Flare	1	Thirst
1	Fog	1	Wall of Roots
1	Giant Mantis	5	Forest
1	Gibbering Hyenas	6	Mountain
1	Goblin Scouts	6	Swamp

"I didn't have that many good cards; I had an adequate-to-average deck."

Frank Adler, Germany (fifth place)

Adler's deck included a couple of good direct-damage spells, some nice creature control, and a wide selection of small- to medium-large creatures. He said that his best card, however, was Sealed Fate, which allowed him to stack the top X cards of his opponent's library. Kaervek's Purge ran a close second. Three of his creatures had flying, one of which could give other creatures flying. He also had an enchantment to give a creature flying, and an Efreet to ground and damage flying creatures. This obviously gave him air superiority. His "pumpable" Dirtwater Wraith with swampwalking was very strong against the many players using black.

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Decklist

1	Armor Guildmage	1	Kaervek's Torch
1	Bad River	1	Kukemssa Serpent
1	Barreling Attack	1	Merfolk Raiders
1	Bay Falcon	1	Raging Spirit
1	Blighted Shaman	1	Ray of Command
1	Blistering Barrier	1	Sealed Fate
1	Bone Harvest	1	Shadow Guildmage
1	Burning Palm Efreet	1	Soar
1	Burning Shield Askari	1	Spitting Earth
1	Cadaverous Knight	1	Thirst
1	Dirtwater Wraith	1	Vaporous Djinn
2	Ekundu Cyclops	5	Island
1	Goblin Tinkerer	7	Mountain
1	Harmattan Efreet	5	Swamp
1	Kaervek's Purge		

Chris Pikula, United States (seventh place)

Pikula relied mostly on direct damage, counterspells, and creatures with flying for his wins. His strongest card was Hammer of Bogardan. "It's abusive in Sealed Deck. I actually went four consecutive matches, though, including matches against Mark Chalice and Preston Poulter, and I never drew it, so it was a little upsetting." Besides that, he had four other direct-damage spells and two Granger Guildmages which he could use to poke a target. His two counterspells were backed up by Daring Apprentice, a 1/1 creature that can be sacrificed to counter a spell. Mangara's Tome allowed him to pull needed cards from his deck with little risk, since few players had artifact destruction, and Jungle Patrol's Wall-making ability helped him stop non-flying attackers. Pikula forfeited a game for not having written his land on his deck record (as you can see below); this cost him his final match. His tiebreakers, however, were good enough to put him into the Top 8 anyway.

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Decklist

1	Azimaet Drake	1	Power Sink
1	Chaos Charm	1	Raging Spirit
1	Chariot of the Sun	1	Sandbar Crocodile
1	Daring Apprentice	1	Searing Spear Askari
1	Dissipate	1	Soar
1	Flare	1	Talruum Minotaur
2	Granger Guildmage	1	Unyaro Bee Sting
1	Hammer of Bogardan	1	Vaporous Djinn
1	Harmattan Efreet	1	Village Elder
1	Jungle Patrol		Island
1	Jungle Wurm		Forest
1	Kaervek's Torch		Mountain
1	Mangara's Tome		

Terry Borer, Canada (sixth place)

Borer ignored the usual "evasion wins games" rule of thumb when constructing his deck. "I had some good flyers and colors but I chose not to play them because I felt they weren't the best. I prefer slightly larger ground creatures. It's really, really difficult to win with flyers unless you have the ground locked up or your opponent has a bad game." By attacking quickly with his ground creatures, he put his opponents on the defensive, forcing them to either take heavy damage or waste their flying creatures in blocking him. His Femeref Archers and Subterranean Spirit, along with a couple of anti-creature spells, provided good defense against any airborne attack.

Decklist

1	Armor of Thorns	2	Quirion Elves
1	Blighted Shaman	1	Raging Spirit
1	Breathstealer	1	Skulking Ghost
1	Crash of Rhinos	1	Soul Rend
1	Dirtwater Wraith	2	Spitting Earth
1	Drain Life	1	Stalking Tiger
1	Ekundu Cyclops	1	Subterranean Spirit
1	Femeref Archers	1	Unyaro Bee Sting
1	Fetid Horror	1	Urborg Panther
1	Granger Guildmage	6	Forest
1	Hivis of the Scale	5	Mountain
1	Jungle Wurm	6	Swamp
1	Kaervek's Purge		

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Mike Long, United States (eighth place)

Long's deck was built around a core of strong, medium-sized creatures and several excellent anti-creature spells. He had few direct-damage spells, but did have two poking creatures, Shadow Guildmage and Reckless Embermage. His most dangerous creature—to his own forces as well as to his opponent's—was Ravenous Vampire, which must devour a creature each turn or become tapped, but gets +1/+1 each time it does. When asked what was the best card in his deck, Long replied, "I didn't have that many good cards; I had an adequate-to-average deck."

Decklist

2	Breathstealer	1	Raging Spirit
1	Burning Shield Askari	1	Ravenous Vampire
1	Cadaverous Knight	1	Reckless Embermage
1	Chaos Charm	1	Shadow Guildmage
1	Chariot of the Sun	1	Soul Rend
1	Crimson Roc	1	Spitting Earth
1	Crystal Golem	1	Talruum Minotaur
1	Dark Banishing	1	Torrent of Lava
1	Disenchant	1	Viashino Warrior
1	Drain Life	7	Mountain
1	Ekundu Cyclops	4	Plains
2	Pacifism	6	Swamp

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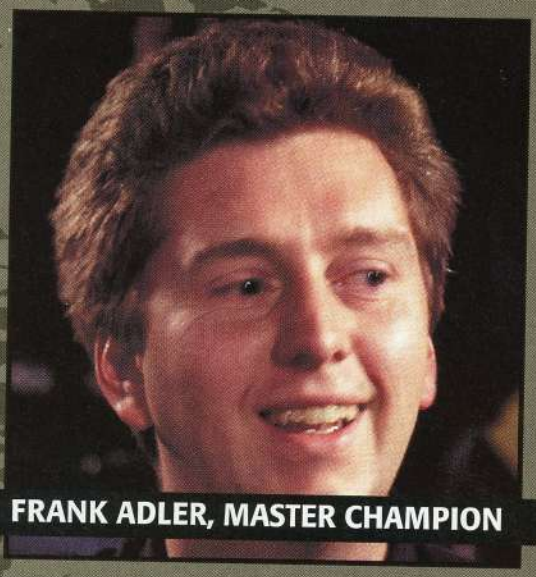
Mastering the Decks

analysis by Beth Moursund



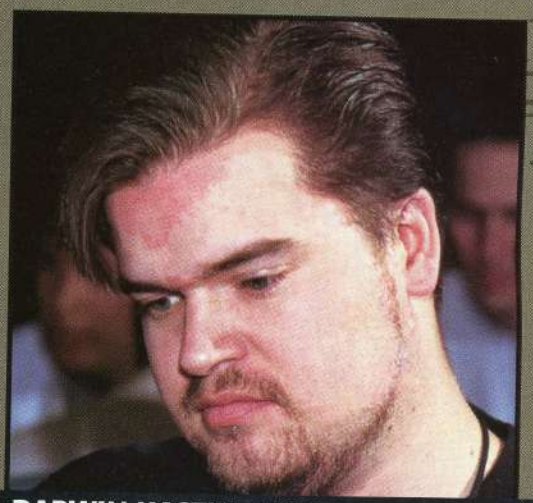
FRANK ADLER, MASTER CHAMPION

Adler's deck on Sunday contained three X damage spells: two mass-creature-destruction spells, Tropical Storm and Savage Twister, and Kaervek's Torch. Savage Twister was his main swing card; by casting it with few creatures in play, he could deal a crippling blow to his opponent. Adler's creatures with phasing worked well for this strategy, too, since he could cast Savage Twister when they were phased out. His other key card was Reckless Embermage. Enchanted with Soar to raise its toughness, the Embermage's 2 damage per turn earned Adler victory in his final match.

"The other cards are all average," he said, "but when you have so many average cards, you take the big creatures so you can hold your opponent off or attack him with that." When building his deck, Adler started with black instead of blue; after looking at the cards more closely, though, he decided that his blue was stronger and switched. He kept six swamps in his sideboard so he could do a mid-match swap if the blue wasn't working well, but that was an adjustment he never needed to make.

Decklist

1	Aleatory	1	Regeneration
1	Bay Falcon	1	Sandbar Crocodile
1	Blistering Barrier	1	Savage Twister
1	Builder's Bane	1	Stalking Tiger
2	Ekundu Cyclops	1	Soar
1	Kaervek's Torch	1	Teferi's Drake
1	Lightning Reflexes	1	Teferi's Isle
1	Locust Swarm	1	Tidal Wave
1	Merfolk Raiders	1	Tropical Storm
1	Power Sink	1	Unyaro Bee Sting
1	Pyric Salamander	6	Forest
1	Quirion Elves	5	Island
1	Reality Ripple	6	Mountain
1	Reckless Embermage		



DARWIN KASTLE, MASTER FINALIST

Kastle actually played three different decks during the finals, swapping out his green for red or white. His base deck had two direct-damage spells and a poking creature, along with two anti-creature enchantments, a dozen small- to mid-sized creatures, and two big ones. One of his mid-sized creatures, Ravenous Vampire, could become a big creature—but at a terrible price.

"I wish it wasn't in my deck, it scares the hell out of me," said Kastle. On his first color change, the Vampire went out along with all the forests and green spells, to be replaced by mountains, two Urborg Panthers, two Golems, a Cadaverous Knight, and four small direct-damage spells. His other color switch removed the green and replaced it with four white creatures, including Benevolent Unicorn which he hoped would help against Adler's mass-destruction spells, and Pacifism.

Decklist

1	Armor of Thorns	1	Jolt
1	Breathstealer	1	Merfolk Seer
1	Cadaverous Knight	1	Ravenous Vampire
1	Cerulean Wyvern	1	Sandbar Crocodile
1	Crash of Rhinos	1	Skulking Ghost
1	Dirtwater Wraith	1	Suq'Ata Firewalker
1	Drain Life	1	Unyaro Bee Sting
1	Dream Cache	2	Wild Elephant
2	Enfeeblement	5	Island
1	Feral Shadow	5	Forest
1	Giant Mantis	8	Swamp
1	Gibbering Hyenas		

Stars on the Move

by Beth Moursund

Aaron Souders, Junior Champion

Aaron Souders is a sophomore at Eureka College in Illinois, and was the oldest competitor playing in Pro Tour–Atlanta's Junior division. He barely squeaked in under the age limitation (18 years or under), as he turned 19 on the Friday *following* the tournament. Because of this situation, he had to make it at least to the championship finals to win a spot to compete in the Master division at Pro Tour–Dallas this month. Obviously, he succeeded.

Souders has been playing **Magic** since *Arabians Nights* was released (Dec. '93) and although he lives in the midwest, he's certainly got a surfer dude's delivery: "I was just sitting at my best friend's house, and he showed me this game that his brother Brock was playing. I'm like, 'What is it?' And he's like, 'It's called **Magic**.' And he started showing me the cards, and I was like, 'Dude, this is way too complicated. I don't want to see this.' He was like, 'No, come on, it's cool. I'll just teach you.' He started me off on that, and I've been addicted to the bloody game ever since."

Souders plays a lot, both in and out of tournaments. "I play up at Heroes Unlimited every Friday night in Roselle [Illinois], go to Card and Comic Connection in Geneva [also in Illinois] Saturday mornings, and then, if I feel really bored Saturday night, I might go somewhere else and play."

Atlanta was Souders's first Pro Tour event but not his first major tournament. He finished second in the Midwest Regionals ("Twenty-two hours straight, 950 people, six-round Swiss. That's not healthy.") and also played in the U.S. Nationals in Columbus. He won his invitation to Atlanta at a tournament at Hansen's Hobbies in Wilmete, Illinois, the store that ended up becoming his sponsor. "He watched me play, and he offered to sponsor me down here 'cause he said he thought I had a good chance, which, I guess he was right!"

Outside of **Magic**, Souders spends much of his time on school work. He's majoring in elementary education with a minor in theatre and is a member of Alpha Psi Omega, a national honorary theatre fraternity. After he finishes school he plans to teach kindergarten. Who knows... maybe **Magic** will become part of his lesson plan?

Louis Beryl, Junior Finalist

Louis Beryl is a student at Sun Coast High School in West Palm, Florida. At 15, Beryl was one of the younger competitors playing at Pro Tour–Atlanta. He's been playing **Magic** for two years and competing in sanctioned tournaments since the Pro Tour started, but this was his first Pro Tour appearance. He qualified by winning a tournament in Orlando. Beryl was one of a number of players sponsored by New Wave.

Beryl spends most of his time playing **Magic**. When asked what else he does besides school work and play **Magic**, he said, "Sleep. Sometimes I eat." After considering this for a moment, he added, "Sometimes my parents make me do homework."

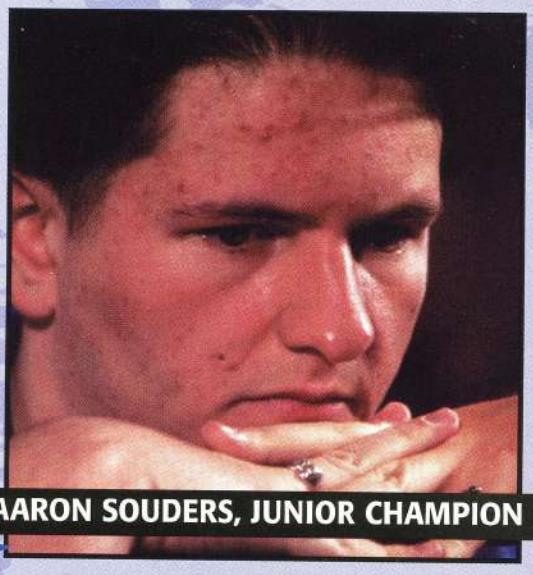
In constructing his two Atlanta decks (Friday's and Sunday's), Beryl followed the philosophy "the best defense is a good offense." He concentrated on small, relatively fast creatures for the most part, along with any direct damage he could get. He was really pleased with his championship deck on Sunday and felt that he should have made a much better showing in the finals. Unfortunately, in one duel he drew no plains, and in another he drew land after land but almost no spells.

Even after making it to the Sealed-Deck finals in Atlanta, Beryl prefers Standard (Type II) tournaments by far. "I think there's more skill involved [in Standard] because you're coming with your own deck. Even though I think *Mirage* is pretty equal. It's a really good set.... You really have to think about what it is you're doing."

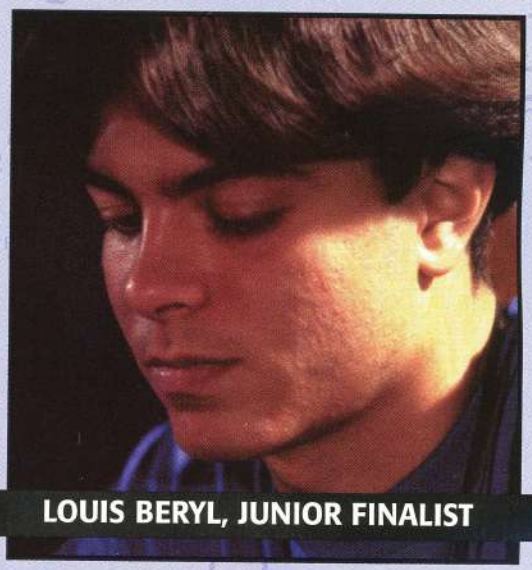
Beryl's looking forward to testing his Standard skills against the best Juniors this month in Dallas. We wish him the best of luck.

No Messing Around

analysis by Beth Moursund



AARON SOUDERS, JUNIOR CHAMPION



LOUIS BERYL, JUNIOR FINALIST

When Souders finished sorting his cards for the finals, he commented that he'd probably be able to afford college this year. His cards were a Sealed-Deck dream. They included three direct-damage X spells, three other direct-damage spells, an Efreet that could tap to deal 2 damage to a creature with flying, and four other anti-creature spells.

"It's just not right. I mean, that shouldn't be legal!" Souders said jokingly when describing his deck. He put in only ten summon spells, but with such excellent non-creatures he didn't need many. The final touch was Goblin Scouts, a sorcery which makes three 1/1 goblins with mountainwalk. "Who doesn't play red in Sealed Deck? Usually the people at the bottom," said Souders. "I figured it would be a safe bet to throw those in." Facing Louis Beryl's Amber Prison during the championship match, Souders sideboarded in Builder's Bane, and managed to zap the Prison and Fire Diamond two games in a row.

Decklist

1	Bay Falcon	1	Lightning Reflexes
1	Burning Palm Efreet	1	Merfolk Seer
1	Cinder Cloud	1	Ray of Command
1	Dark Banishing	1	Restless Dead
1	Dread Specter	1	Spitting Earth
1	Ekundu Cyclops	1	Talruum Minotaur
1	Feral Shadow	2	Thirst
1	Goblin Scouts	1	Volcanic Geyser
2	Gravebane Zombie	5	Island
1	Incinerate	7	Mountain
2	Kaervek's Torch	6	Swamp

Beryl's deck was built along much the same lines as Souders's, though he didn't have as outrageous a collection of direct damage. He had only one X spell, Kaervek's Torch. He did, however, have two spells that could tap or destroy a creature and deal damage at the same time, and three other anti-creature spells; plus, he had Amber Prison, which could tap to pin down either a creature or another card as needed. None of his creatures had a base power greater than 2, though one was pumpable. All of the others had either flanking or flying, along with other special abilities.

"The only card I'm upset about putting in was Divine Offering," he said. "There's just not enough artifacts in *Mirage*, I guess. I didn't see any. I sideboarded it out every game."

Decklist

1	Afterlife	2	Mtenda Herder
1	Amber Prison	1	Pacifism
1	Burning Shield Askari	2	Searing Spear Askari
1	Dark Banishing	2	Skulking Ghost
1	Delirium	2	Teremko Griffin
1	Divine Offering	2	Wall of Resistance
1	Fire Diamond	1	Wildfire Emissary
1	Flare	6	Mountain
1	Kaervek's Purge	7	Plains
1	Kaervek's Torch	5	Swamp

ANALYSIS BY BETH MOURSUND

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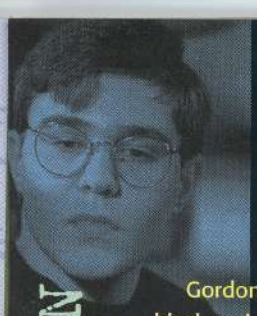
TOP 4 JUNIOR DECKS FROM FRIDAY



JASON GORDON (1ST PLACE)

Gordon played an almost even mixture of four colors: black, red, white, and green. His cards were also quite balanced. He had one large direct-damage spell (Kaervek's Torch), accompanied by several 1-pointers: Flare, Telim'Tor's Darts, Sandstorm, and Shadow Guildmage. His four medium-to-large creatures and two small regenerators provided good ground control, while five flyers, including creatures with banding and first strike, covered the air. He also had a couple of good anti-creature spells. His usual strategy was to lock things up on the ground, then win with flyers or his large Torch.

decklist

1	Cadaverous Knight	1	Shadow Guildmage
1	Crimson Roc	1	Stupor
1	Dark Banishing	1	Telim'Tor's Darts
1	Disenchant	1	Teremko Griffin
1	Ekundu Cyclops	1	Uktabi Faerie
1	Ekundu Griffin	1	Viashino Warrior
1	Feral Shadow	1	Wild Elephant
1	Flare	1	Zhalfirin Knight
1	Kaervek's Torch	5	Forest
1	Nettletooth Djinn	5	Mountain
1	Pacifism	4	Plains
1	Restless Dead	5	Swamp
1	Sandstorm		

LOUIS BERYL (2ND PLACE)

Beryl had very little defense, no X spells, and minor direct-damage or anti-creature spells. He did, however, have Dwarven Nomad, which can tap to make a creature of power 2 or less unblockable, and nine creatures small enough to use it on, along with Soulshriek and Firebreathing—either of which could make one of his small creatures quite dangerous. He had only three larger creatures: two Wild Elephants and a Canopy Dragon. "I didn't have much creature removal," he said. "I had to kill them pretty quickly or hold out until I could drop Canopy Dragon."

decklist

1	Burning Palm Efreet	1	Rocky Tar Pit
1	Canopy Dragon	1	Searing Spear Askari
1	Chaos Charm	2	Sewer Rats
1	Charcoal Diamond	1	Soulshriek
1	Dwarven Nomad	1	Spitting Earth
1	Enfeeblement	1	Stupor
1	Feral Shadow	1	Telim'Tor's Darts
1	Firebreathing	1	Tranquil Domain
1	Flare	1	Urborg Panther
1	Giant Mantis	2	Wild Elephants
1	Gravebane Zombie	5	Forest
1	Mountain Valley	5	Mountain
1	Mtenda Lion	6	Swamp
1	Restless Dead		

DAVID LIVELY (3RD PLACE)

Lively's deck was built around medium-sized creatures. He had an even dozen creatures of power 2 or 3, including two Griffins and the griffin Legend which gives all other Griffins +1/+1, and Femeref Archers, which made him almost immune to his opponent's flying attackers. Accompanying these were two 1-power creatures and two big ones: the 5/5 Jungle Wurm, with its "negative rampage" vulnerability to large numbers of blockers; and the 4/4 flying Volcanic Dragon, which Lively said helped him win a lot of games. "I pretty much couldn't be blocked and I could send all my creatures through in the air," he said as he described his deck. "I had one direct damage, but it was just that my creature quality was up there."

decklist

1	Alarum	1	Rampant Growth
1	Blistering Barrier	1	Searing Spear Askari
1	Burning Shield Askari	1	Seedling Charm
1	Dazzling Beauty	1	Talruum Minotaur
1	Ekundu Griffin	1	Teremko Griffin
1	Femeref Archers	1	Village Elder
1	Flare	1	Volcanic Dragon
1	Giant Mantis	1	Volcanic Geyser
1	Gibbering Hyenas	1	Zhalfirin Knight
1	Goblin Tinkerer	1	Zuberi, Golden Feather
1	Jungle Wurm	1	Forest
1	Mtenda Lion	6	Mountain
1	Phyrexian Vault	5	Plains
1	Raging Spirit		

TREVOR BLACKWELL (4TH PLACE)

Blackwell's deck contained few creatures, but boasted an amazing number of direct-damage spells and artifacts (seven in all), including Kaervek's Torch, Telim'Tor's Darts, two Incinerates, and the dreaded Hammer of Bogardan. Even two of his creatures (Shadow Guildmage and Flame Elemental) had direct-damage capabilities. Among his other creatures he had three regenerators and three flankers, including the legendary Telim'Tor which gives all flankers +1/+1 when he attacks, and Basalt Golem, which turns anything that blocks it into a 0/2 Wall that can't block the Golem. Blackwell's main strategy was to hold his opponents off with regenerators until he could kill them with direct damage.

decklist

1	Basalt Golem	1	Searing Spear Askari
1	Blighted Shaman	1	Shadow Guildmage
2	Cadaverous Knight	1	Spitting Earth
1	Dread Specter	1	Telim'Tor
1	Enfeeblement	1	Torrent of Lava
2	Feral Shadow	1	Withering Boon
1	Flame Elemental	1	Telim'Tor's Darts
1	Hammer of Bogardan	1	Teremko Griffin
2	Incinerate	3	Plains
1	Kaervek's Torch	8	Mountain
1	Pacifism	6	Swamp
1	Restless Dead		

TIPS FROM THE PROS

by Henry A. Stern

Here's some good advice for players competing in a Sealed-Deck tournament. Listen up.

While attending Pro Tour–Atlanta, *The Duelist Sideboard* was able to interview many of the professional players and ask for their advice on keys to playing in Sealed-Deck tournaments. In this article, a "sealed deck" refers to a forty-card deck constructed from one starter deck and two booster packs of **Magic** cards, with an additional five land cards of any type.

The first thing we asked was how many colors they typically use when constructing a sealed deck. Most of the pros seemed to like three colors best. Take Bryce Currence of Claremont, CA, for instance. "I like three colors, sometimes four. I think three is optimal," he said. "That gets you a good mana ratio and you won't be struggling to cast the spells in your hand."

John Yoo of Buena Park, CA, who was the No. 1 seed heading into the final day of competition, responded, "Usually three, but sometimes four—the fourth color being very light like [just enough] red for Fireball or white for Swords to Plowshares, usually two mana to splash the fourth. Generally, there's not enough creature removal in just two colors."

However, some professional players seemed much more willing to play more colors. When asked about this prior to the start of the tournament, Brian Hacker of San Diego stated, "I will probably play four or five colors. I like to take the best cards available and work the mana around them rather than to take the best color or theme available and make everything else fit in. The drawback is that you have to build a slower deck because of the mana distribution."

New Jersey's John Finkel advised, "I always play at least three, usually four or five [colors]. However, pay close attention to the colored casting costs."

This concern over the colored mana requirements was echoed by Texas's George Baxter, "The total casting cost of a spell isn't as important as how much colored mana it requires," said the '96 U.S. Finalist. "For instance, Pox is weak in Sealed Deck because of the casting cost. Also, a mistake many beginners make is using every good card, regardless of casting cost"—for example, using Craw Wurm, Counterspell, Stone Giant, and Hymn to Tourach in the same deck."

The second thing we asked was how many land cards players typically put in a sealed deck. Most said that they used somewhere between 17 and 19, depending on both the number of colors used and the casting costs of the spells. New York's Steven O'Mahoney-Schwartz advised, "With four colors I play 19 land, with three colors, 17 land." Darwin Kastle of Boston, MA, who finished as the Master-division finalist in Atlanta, said, "With a low casting-cost deck, 16 or 17 mana is fine. And if you have a lot of high casting-cost creatures or X spells, 18 or 19 is not out of the question." Matt Place of Kansas City added, "It seems like I almost always play 17 [land]. I count Fellwar Stones and Elves as land for Sealed Deck."

Next we asked about creatures: What makes a creature good for Sealed-Deck play, and how many do players typically use in a deck? Currence answered, "When it comes to creatures, I like everything that deals damage, nothing that doesn't. Creatures are the most important part of any sealed deck because they are the most efficient way of dealing damage. When deciding whether a creature is good enough, special abilities are the key. Flying is best, but banding and other abilities can be very important, too."

Yoo answered by saying, "Casting cost is important, I don't like creatures with two-colored mana. For example, there is a huge difference between Tor Giant and Bone Shaman. Also, any alternate ability that can kill creatures is important [such as a Prodigal Sorcerer or Skeleton Ship]. Typically, I use 17 to 18 creatures. Yesterday, however, I used 21." Hacker noted, "I always look for flying first, and then for regeneration, banding, and trample. I also look for any card that can allow me to use dead cards in my hand such as Nature's Blessing. No minimum or maximum number of creatures. If I have a lot of removal, I won't have as many creatures."

Interestingly, some of the professional players were very prejudiced against small creatures. According to this year's World Finalist Mark Justice of Utah, "I prefer 14 or 15 creatures. However, I hate 1/1 creatures, 1/1's tend to die." Finkel stated, "I don't like cards that won't help me later in a game [small creatures or spells like fog]. In Sealed Deck you usually don't get killed by an early 1/1 creature like Merfolk [of the Pearl Trident], so I don't like to play them. I like bigger creatures or creatures with a good special ability. I usually play between 12 and 18 creatures, but prefer to play on the lower end and use more creature removal."

Also, since Pro Tour–Atlanta was the first time anyone had seen *Mirage* cards, we asked the players what they thought about playing in an environment where there would be a lot of unknown cards. Place said, "Whenever I look at a new card, I try to imagine myself in the middle of a game in some sort of creature stall, and I think how would this card do? I think that this helps give you perspective on how good a card is. Obviously, if it says 'kill a creature,' it's good. But if the card won't directly help me win, I usually won't play it. Enchantments are usually like this."

O'Mahoney-Schwartz said, "Playing with new cards is very interesting. You should read and then reread all the cards. People like to play with confidence, but it is critical to read all the cards. For instance, at the *Alliances* Prerelease I had a Lim-Dûl's Cohort in play, my opponent was about to win the game but then attacked with a key regenerator. He didn't remember what the Cohort's special ability is." However, some professional players offered a different perspective. Said Finkel, "I don't think playing with new cards changes things much; just build your own deck. However, I will probably be a bit more cautious on something that could win or lose the game."

Finally, there was a team event staged at Pro Tour–Atlanta that sported an interesting format. Each team (a total of forty-eight competed) was given five *Ice Age* starter decks and *Alliances* booster packs. From these cards they had to construct five separate decks. We asked the top two teams—the Pacific Coast Legends and Team Oasis—for any tips relating to this interesting format.

Team PCL spokesman Mark Chalice said, "Instead of trying to make some decks strong at the expense of one or two of the decks, we tried to make five decks equally strong. We figured if you made some of the decks worse than others, then those decks would most likely always lose, and if your good decks got a bad draw then your team would most likely lose the match. Thus, we built five good decks with a solid creature base and enough versatility to handle other decks.

"The way we did this was by opening all of the cards and taking out the 'bad' cards. We then separated them by color and into creature and non-creature cards and further divided them by single- and double-colored mana requirements. This gave us the ability to easily recognize which cards could be easily splashed into the other colors and make up for the weaknesses of those colors. The powerful multicolored cards could also define a color combination. Most of our decks were two-color decks, but some of them were three. Making single-colored decks is generally a mistake.

"Also, we didn't assign the decks to any member of the team until we were done building the deck. That way, no one was personally attached to any one deck and our decisions were not biased. During deck construction, we heard many other teams arguing about decks, and *who* would get each card, not what *deck* would get each card."

Team Oasis shared many of the same philosophies with Team PCL, but they also had some unique advice. "Our philosophy was to make five strong two-color decks," said Dave Lyon from Iowa. "We knew that a lot of teams would try to make three or four *really* strong decks. So, with five good decks we would always be able to get one or two free matches off those teams. And then with our other decks, we only had to win fifty percent of our matches to win [overall]."

Team Oasis sported five different decks: a white/green deck built around banding; a red/green speed deck; a black/blue creature-control deck; a blue/white flying deck; and a red/black fast-creature deck that used Soul Kiss and some creature kill.

"Mainly, we examined beforehand what the best commons were in those two colors," continued Lyon. "For example, a blue/black deck with Norritts, Enervates, and "Tims" [all of which are common cards and all of which you should receive plenty of in five starters] is really strong for creature control. Our advice to other teams would be to go into the tournament with an idea of how the cards are going to be divided up beforehand. You don't want to be arguing about who gets what cards during the deck-construction period."

Keep an eye out for "Tips from the Pros" in the next issue of *The Duelist Sideboard*. We'll be covering the Standard (Type II) and Classic (Type I) events held at Pro Tour–Dallas in November.

AN EXPENSIVE LESSON

The "Active-Player" Rule

by Beth Moursund

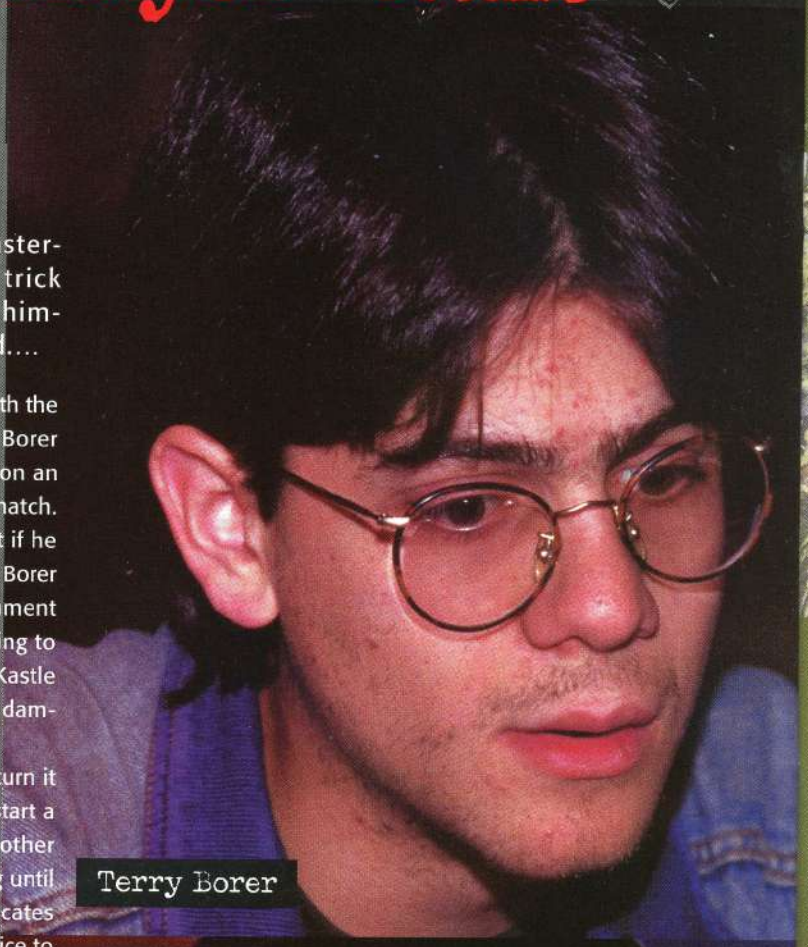
During the third and deciding game of the Master-division quarterfinals, Terry Borer tried to trick opponent Darwin Kastle but ended up tricking himself out of a win instead. Here's what happened....

Borer was at 1 life; Kastle, at 10. Borer attacked with the four creatures he had in play; Kastle blocked one. Borer merely had to cast the Grave Servitude in his hand on an unblocked creature to win the game and the match. Attempting to trick Kastle, Borer asked his opponent if he wanted to do any "fast effects." Kastle answered "no." Borer then attempted to cast his Grave Servitude. Tournament Head Judge Tom Wylie informed Borer that, according to the "active-player" rule, it was too late; as soon as Kastle had answered "no," the fast-effects step ended and damage resolution began.

The active-player rule says that the player whose turn it is (the "active player") always has the first option to start a "batch" of effects or to respond to any effect. The other player (who's considered "inactive") can't do anything until the active player says, "I'm done" or otherwise indicates that he is finished. Then the inactive player has a choice to make. He can either use a fast effect of his own (in which case the option to respond goes back to the active player), or he can decline to use a fast effect. In the latter case, the game proceeds to the next step: effect resolution, if any effects are pending, or the next phase/subphase otherwise. The active player can't turn around and say, "Wait, I'm not really done. I want to cast something else first."

Borer, the Junior-division champion at Pro Tour—Columbus, appealed the ruling, saying that he hadn't actually said, "I'm done." He was just trying to trick Kastle into revealing effects before the rules required him to do so. But the judge's ruling was that by asking his opponent to use fast effects, Borer was effectively saying, "I'm done; do you want to use any fast effects before we go on to the next step?" since an opponent can't legally do anything until that point. If Kastle had taken the bait and cast something, Borer would have been able to cast his spell. But since Kastle declined, the step ended.

Kastle eventually won the match, and Borer was eliminated. For Borer, the lesson was an especially expensive one. At day's end, Kastle took home $16,000; Borer walked away with $5,500.



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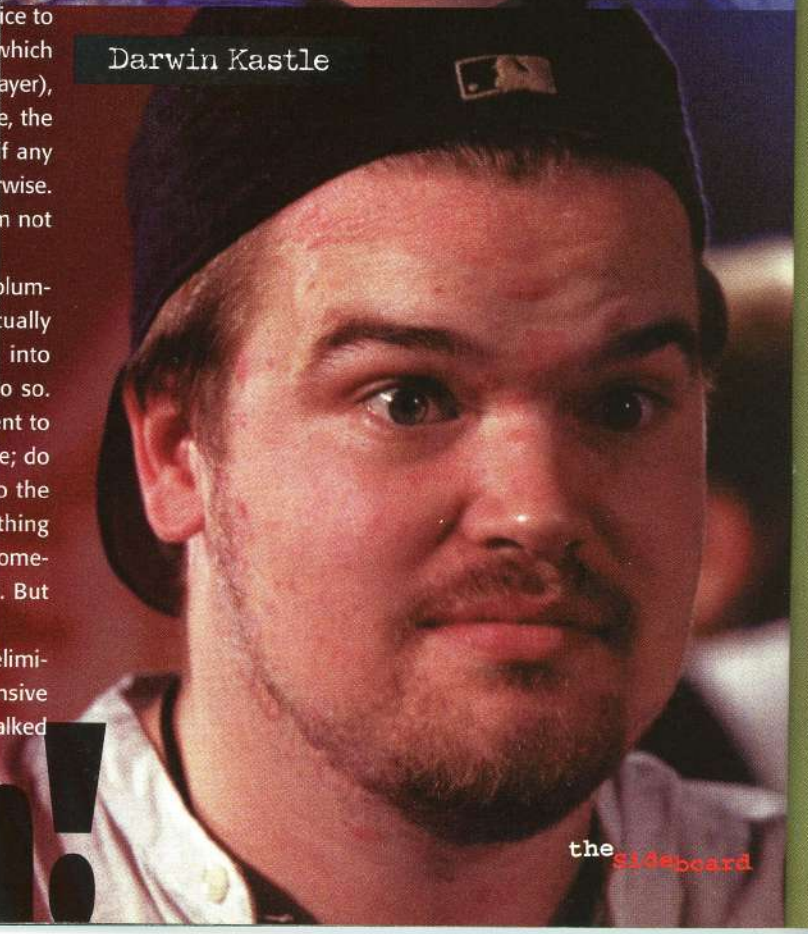


Darwin Kastle

Ouch!

Pacific Coast Legends Strut Their Stuff

by Jeff J. Lin

Perhaps more than any other event, team competitions stir up feelings of regional pride and rivalries. The eternal debate over who's better—our team or your team—has slowly seeped its way into **Magic.** Fierce debates and arguments abound at conventions, tournaments, and over the Internet.

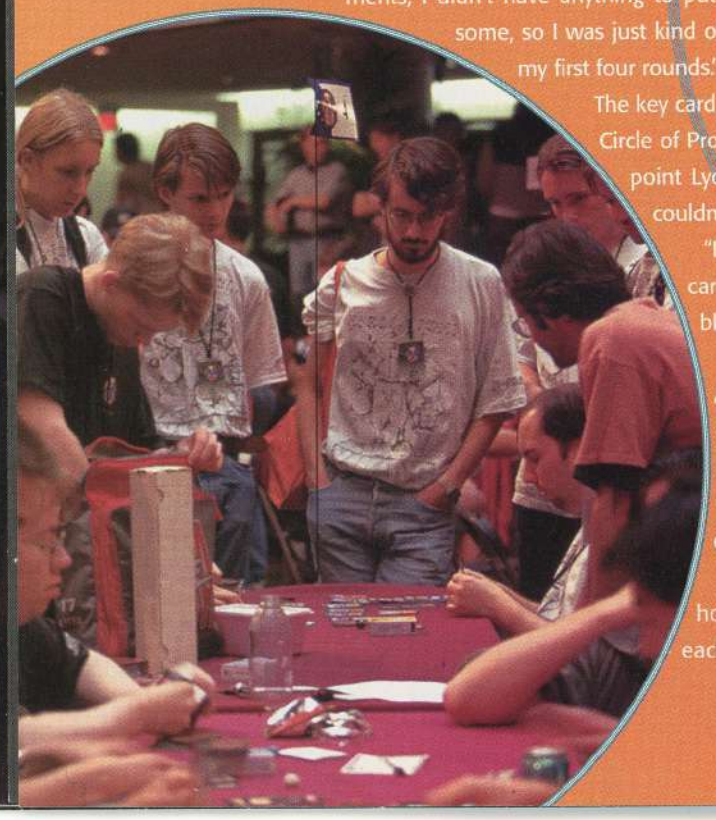
The first Pro Tour team competition—for a while, anyway—helped settle a little of the talk. The finals of the team event ended up being a contest between two regions of the United States: Los Angeles, CA, and the midwest, specifically Iowa. The battle took place on September 14, during Pro Tour–Atlanta.

After six rounds of competition, the L.A.-based Pacific Coast Legends (Team PCL) faced Team Oasis for the winner's trophy. For the curious, Team Oasis—comprised of midwesterners Dave Lyon, Mike Reinking, Jeff Sternal, Kevin Stelzer, and Chris Stelzer—was named not after the *Mirage* nor after the British pop supergroup of the same name, but rather after a local strip club in Atlanta. "It was sort of an 'in' joke," said Reinking. "We were walking around and we didn't have a name for the team and people kept handing us flyers telling us to go to this strip bar called *Oasis.*"

No matter their namesake, Team Oasis entered the championship match undefeated and seeded first out of a field of forty-eight teams. The much-heralded PCL squad, meanwhile, was seeded No. 2. PCL's lineup consisted of well-known Pro Tour players Mark Justice, Mark Chalice, Mario Robaina, Preston Poulter, and Scott Johns.

For a while, it looked like Team Oasis would pull off the upset. Reinking defeated Poulter, 2–0, and though Johns and Chalice had won both their matches, also 2–0, Chris Stelzer was handling Justice easily, having already won the first game of their best-of-three match. The outcome of the competition effectively rested on the result of the match between Robaina and Lyon. Lyon had crushed Robaina in the first game, but Robaina came back and won the second duel.

Robaina, playing a deck built around Jokulhaups, had fared poorly in the earlier rounds. "[The deck has] Reinforcements and Lodestone Bauble, but I just didn't have that many good creatures," he said. "I had a few little first strikers and little tricks that I could do, but really the creatures were kind of lax, so even if I had put out Jokulhaups and Reinforcements, I didn't have anything to put out afterwards that's really awesome, so I was just kind of slackin' all day long. I lost three of my first four rounds."



The key card in the final game, though, was Robaina's Circle of Protection: Red, which he got out early. At one point Lyon had amassed an army of red creatures but couldn't do anything with them.

"I knew I had Jokulhaups coming and he was playing every card as it came," said Robaina. "I knew I was going to be able to blow everything up at some point and start going."

And that's just what he did. Playing Jokulhaups with Dwarven Armory out and some land in his hand, Robaina was able to attack with Sabretooth Tiger and win the deciding game without incident.

"It's nice to know I came through for the team," said Robaina. "It's nice to finally do pretty well. I think my teammates had a lot of confidence in me; it's nice to finally repay that."

For the win, PCL took home $11,000, while Team Oasis went home with $6,000. Semifinalists Team Canada and Reservoir Dogs each won $4,000.

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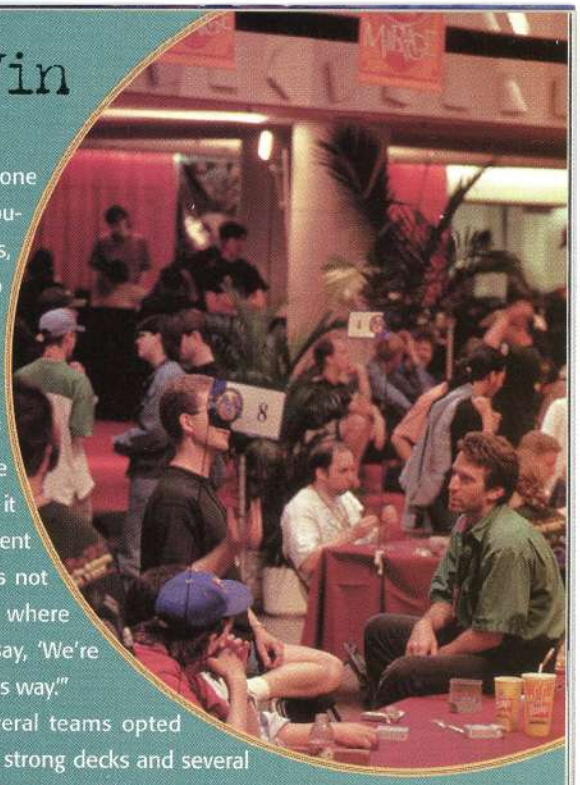


The event was the first for the "new" Pacific Coast Legends lineup. The PCL group had lost one of its cornerstone members, two-time World Championship semifinalist Henry Stern. Stern went to work for Wizards of the Coast's Research and Development department following the **Magic** World Championships in August. He was replaced by Johns, considered one of the top players in the L.A. area and on the Pro Tour circuit. Johns had finished in the Top 8 at the both the Long Beach and Columbus Pro Tour events, as well as at this year's World Championships.

"The obvious choice [for Stern's replacement] was the best player in Los Angeles that wasn't on our team already, which was Scott," said Robaina. "We also looked around at people outside [L.A.]; we thought about making the team more national, but in the end, we figured it was best to keep it local and that way we could meet often."

Mario Robaina

Said Johns: "I was on the verge of forming a team with Brian Weissman, John Immordino, and Matt Place, but we had a lot of communication problems. It never really came to fruition."

Johns proved to be a more-than-worthy addition, as he supplied many a notch in PCL's win column throughout the day-long team event. He was quick to deflect the credit, though. "I just happened to have that deck," he said. "There's a couple times I outsmarted my opponents maybe or got into their head, [but] the thing I enjoy about the team experience, and this event in particular, is that I was just one part of the group. I was just doing my job and everyone else was doing their job."

The first official Pro Tour team event followed the same format (different cards) used at this year's World Championships: each team (consisting of five people) was given five *Ice Age* starter decks and five *Alliances* boosters. From the cards gathered, the team then had to construct five different decks. Teams assigned each member a particular deck and then played against other teams. The number of options and number of decisions required, as well as the relative newness of the format, made for a wide variety of deck-building strategies—not to mention mistakes.

"It's a totally different format than straight Sealed," explained Robaina. "It's a lot easier to screw up. When you've got one starter and a couple of boosters, it's a lot easier to build one decent deck, but when you've got a big assortment of cards, every time you build a deck it presents a different universe. There's not some formula where you can really say, 'We're going to do it this way.'"

Whereas several teams opted to make several strong decks and several weak ones, PCL took a different approach. (For a closer look at their strategy, see "Under the Microscope," on page 36.) "Because of the way **Magic** is and how there's so much luck as far as drawing mana," said Robaina, "you don't want to put all your eggs into just three baskets by building three really good decks, rather than five decks that can win in any one match."

The tournament was a seven-round affair; five rounds of Swiss-style competition whittled the field of forty-eight squads down to four which then advanced to the single-elimination semifinals and finals.

At the end of the Swiss-style rounds, Team Oasis was ranked first, with a 5–0 record, while PCL had a 4–0–1 record. Team Canada was third at 4–1, while Reservoir Dogs, a team comprised of all Europeans, was fourth, also at 4–1.

In the semifinals, Team Oasis defeated Reservoir Dogs, 3–1, while the Pacific Coast Legends defeated Team Canada, 3–1. These victories set the stage for Robaina to shine during the all-important championship battle.

Third Place: Team Canada

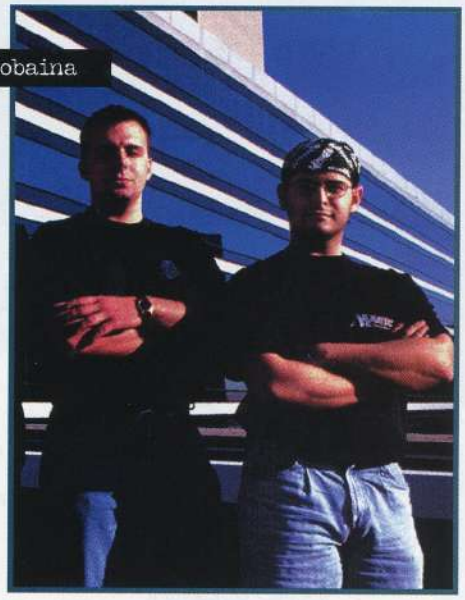
With a field of forty-seven other teams, five rounds of Swiss-style pairings, and two rounds of single-elimination play staring them in the face, the Pacific Coast Legends (Team PCL) managed to turn five decks of *Ice Age* and five packs of *Alliances* into five competitive decks, good enough to earn a $11,000 payday.

Teamwork Pays Off for PCL Five

by Lisa Stevens

Led by Mark Chalice, PCL members Mark Justice, Preston Poulter, Scott Johns, and Mario Robaina followed a concise strategy to build their decks in the allotted sixty-minute window of time. Their first decision was to try to make five competitive decks rather than four strong ones and one "sacrificial lamb." Their reasoning was simple: they needed as many chances as possible to squeak out the three wins required each round to advance. The luck of the pairings could easily dictate how well even the best deck performed.

"Because of the way the games could go, you could still get mana screwed in your good deck, so we wanted all the decks to have some balance," Johns pointed out.



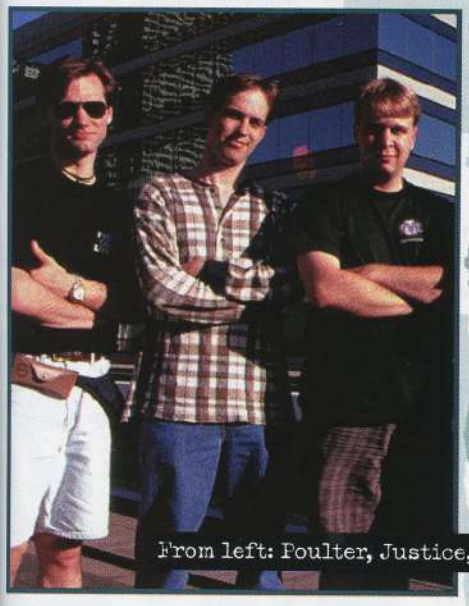
Chalice and Robaina

Chalice was chosen to lead Team PCL during the deck-construction phase. The group had practiced building decks with and without Chalice guiding them, and their findings showed that having a strong leader during the deck-construction phase was critical. Team PCL planned to place the stronger decks with the "weaker" players, and give the "better" players the slightly weaker decks. This way they hoped to pull off more wins with the weaker decks.

In order to construct their decks in the allotted time, members of Team PCL had a regimented system for sorting their cards. The team's first move was to remove all the cards they weren't going to use, the cards they felt were weak. Next, they sorted the remaining cards by color and between creature and non-creature, with "creature" defined as any card that could deal damage.

"Probably the most important breakdown is to separate those two stacks [creatures and non-creatures in each color] into two further stacks of spells that cost two or more of a color and spells that cost one of a color," noted Poulter.

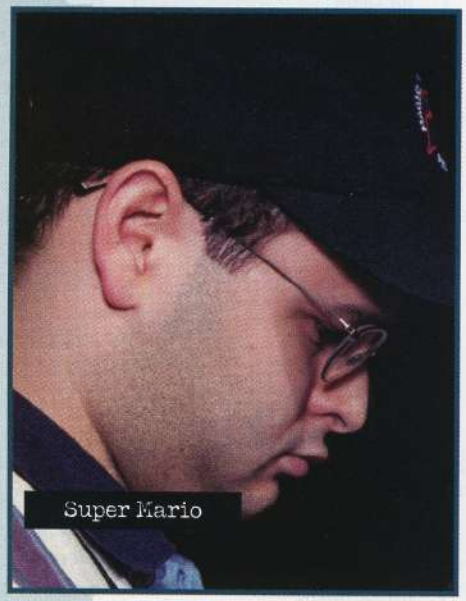
This ended up giving them four stacks for each color. The spells that cost two of a color signaled a heavy commitment to that particular color in that deck, while the spells that cost one of a certain color allowed them to splash that color in other decks to help strengthen those decks. By separating out the cards, Chalice hoped that his team would see the strong combinations more easily and thus give them a huge head start towards building five strong decks.



From left: Poulter, Justice, and Johns

Team PCL entered the event figuring there would be certain types of decks they would be looking to build. In the *Ice Age/Alliances* format, for instance, Chalice noted that black/blue seems to be an extremely strong combination as well as blue/white, "cause there seems to be a significant amount of control. Green creatures also tend to make a primary focus for one of the decks."

Chalice ended up playing a black/blue/white deck with Ray of Command, three Dark Banishings, Viscerid Drone, and Merieke Ri Berit, because—as Robaina explained—"it suits his playing style. He ends up catching a lot of people off guard with vague rulings technicalities that this deck generates."



Super Mario

Poulter got the green/white deck with a lot of banding, flying, and big creatures. Justice played the red/blue deck with two Ray of Commands, Binding Grasp, Vexing Arcanix, and some counters. Johns ended up with a red/green deck with some really large green creatures and red support via direct damage. Robaina got the Jokulhaups deck with the leftover creatures, that weren't very strong: Dwarven Armory to beef the creatures up, and some direct damage with Guerrilla Tactics, Pyrokinesis, and Meteor Shower.

As it turned out, their strategy of making five comparable decks proved critical. The final results for PCL were as follows: Chalice, 6–1; Johns, 5–2; Justice, 4–1–2; Robaina, 4–3; and Poulter, 3–3–1.

One interesting side note is that Justice's two draws occurred from unfinished games, the results of his teammates having already won the particular match. In both draws, he was under severe pressure and likely would have lost. As you can see, only Chalice truly dominated his opponents. The rest of the team pulled out victories when they needed to and made up for bad matchups that were bound to happen. Team PCL won its matches by the following scores: 4–1, 3–2, 2–2–1, 3–2, 4–1, 3–1–1, and 3–1–1. They had no room for any poor deck which could lose in each round. Instead, they needed all of the decks to be capable of pulling off much-needed wins.

"We took the basic philosophy that we needed solid play, five good decks, no gimmicks, no tricks, nothing like that," explained Justice. "We knew that we were all good players, so if we built five solid decks, we would all have a chance at doing well. Our card selection was average, so we took that, and through solid deck building, we were able to use our experience to win the tournament."

THE WINNING COMBINATION

TEAM PCL DECKLISTS

PRESTON POULTER

1 Adarkar Unicorn
1 Chub Toad
1 Dire Wolves
1 Disenchant
1 Elvish Healer
1 Elvish Rangers
1 Hurricane
1 Juniper Order Advocate
1 Kjeldoran Elite Guard
1 Kjeldoran Escort
1 Kjeldoran Skyknight
1 Kjeldoran Warrior
1 Lhurgoyf
1 Lost Order of Jarkeld
1 Reprisal
1 Shambling Strider
1 Swords to Plowshares
1 Sworn Defender
1 Venemous Breath
1 Whalebone Glider
1 Yavimaya Ancients
1 Yavimaya Gnats
8 Forest
9 Plains

Sideboard

1 Blue Scarab
1 Circle of Protection: Red
1 Circle of Protection: White
1 Cold Snap
1 Drought
1 Justice

MARK JUSTICE

2 Balduvian War-Makers
1 Barbarian Guides
1 Benthic Explorers
1 Binding Grasp
1 Counterspell
1 Deflection
2 Essence Flare
1 Force of Will
1 Glacial Wall
1 Illusionary Forces
1 Mountain Goat
1 Portent
2 Pyroblast
2 Ray of Command
1 Sabretooth Tiger
1 Shatter
1 Soldevi Steam Beast
2 Storm Crow
1 Tor Giant
1 Vertigo
1 Vexing Arcanix
1 Wall of Shields
1 Word of Undoing
12 Island
5 Mountain

Sideboard

1 Aggression
1 Blessed Wine
2 Earthlore
1 Foxfire
1 Freyalise's Charm
1 Freyalise's Winds
1 Fyndhorn Bow
1 Illusionary Wall
1 Lapis Lazuli Talisman
1 Mistfolk
1 Mystic Might
1 Portent
2 Prismatic Ward
1 Rally
1 Seizures
1 Spectral Shield
1 Suffocation

SCOTT JOHNS

1 Balduvian Bears
1 Barbarian Guides
1 Chub Toad
1 Elder Druid
1 Elvish Ranger
1 Folk of the Pines
1 Fyndhorn Elves
1 Giant Growth
1 Gorilla Chieftain
2 Gorilla Pack
2 Guerrilla Tactics
1 Lava Burst
1 Melee
1 Mountain Goat
1 Orcish Lumberjack
1 Shambling Strider
1 Urza's Engine
1 Whalebone Glider
1 Whip Vine
1 Yavimaya Ancients
1 Yavimaya Ants
10 Forest
7 Mountain

Sideboard

1 Essence Filter
2 Taste of Paradise
1 Thermokarst

MARK CHALICE

1 Abyssal Specter
1 Barbed Sextant
1 Brine Shaman
2 Dark Banishing
1 Feast or Famine
1 Hoar Shade
1 Infernal Darkness
1 Insidious Bookworms
1 Kjeldoran Dead
1 Krovokan Sorcerer
1 Legions of Lim-Dûl
1 Lim-Dûl's Cohort
1 Lim-Dûl's High Guard
1 Merieke Ri Berit
1 Norritt
1 Power Sink
1 Ray of Command
1 School of the Unseen
6 Snow-Covered Swamp
2 Soul Burn
1 Storm Crow
1 Viscerid Drone
1 Zuran Enchanter
5 Island
2 Plains
3 Swamp

Sideboard

1 Circle of Protection: Black
1 Circle of Protection: Red
1 Fear
1 Foul Familiar
2 Howl from Beyond
1 Leshrac's Rite
1 Sleight of Mind
1 Stench of Decay
1 Stench of Evil

MARIO ROBAINA

1 Arenson's Aura
1 Balduvian Barbarians
1 Balduvian War-Makers
1 Carrier Pigeons
1 Dwarven Armory
1 Flame Spirit
1 Goblin Mutant
1 Goblin Ski Patrol
1 Grizzled Wolverine
1 Guerrilla Tactics
1 Jokulhaups
1 Kjeldoran Skycaptain
1 Lodestone Bauble
1 Meteor Shower
1 Mountain Goat
1 Orcish Cannoneers
1 Pyrokinesis
1 Reinforcements
2 Sabretooth Tiger
1 Shatter
3 Snow-Covered Mountain
1 Storm Shaman
2 Wall of Lava
7 Mountain
7 Plains

Sideboard

1 Black Scarab
1 Circle of Protection: Red
1 Curse of Marit Lage
1 Martyrdom
1 Omen of Fire
1 Reprisal

Team Oasis decklists

JEFF STERNAL
1 Balduvian Barbarians
1 Balduvian Bears
1 Balduvian War-Makers
1 Death Spark
1 Elkin Bottle
1 Flame Spirit
1 Fyndhorn Elves
1 Gargantuan Gorilla
3 Giant Growth
1 Grizzled Wolverine
3 Guerrilla Tactics
1 Hurricane
1 Incinerate
1 Meteor Shower
2 Sabretooth Tiger
1 Shambling Strider
4 Snow-Covered Forest
1 Whalebone Glider
1 Woolly Spider
4 Forest
8 Mountain

Sideboard
1 Aesthir Glider
1 Barbarian Guides
1 Battle Frenzy
1 Bestial Fury
1 Brown Ouphe
1 Essence Filter
1 Freyalise Supplicant
1 Fyndhorn Elder
1 Fyndhorn Elves
1 Goblin Sappers
1 Imposing Visage
1 Karplusan Giant
1 Melting
1 Monsoon
1 Orcish Conscripts
1 Orcish Lumberjack
1 Pyroblast
1 Rime Dryad
1 Regeneration
1 Shatter
4 Snow-Covered Mountain
1 Taste of Paradise
1 Tinder Wall
1 Venemous Breath
1 Vertigo
1 Wild Growth
1 Word of Blasting
3 Forest

MIKE REINKING
1 Contagion
1 Dark Banishing
1 Diabolic Vision
3 Enervate
1 Essence Flare
1 Feast or Famine
3 Mind Ravel
3 Norritt
2 Phantasmal Fiend
4 Snow-Covered Island
2 Snow-Covered Swamp
1 Soldevi Simulacrum
2 Viscerid Drone
1 Whirling Catapult
2 Zuran Enchanter
4 Island
8 Swamp

Sideboard
1 Arnjlot's Ascent
1 Astrolabe
2 Brine Shaman
2 Cloak of Confusion
1 Dark Ritual
1 Gravebind
1 Hydroblast
1 Lapis Lauli Talisman
1 Lim-Dûl's Hex
2 Misinformation
1 Pentagram of the Ages
1 Snow-Covered Plains
1 Snow Devil
3 Swamp Mosquito
1 Walls of Mist
1 Wandering Mage
2 Island

DAVE LYON
2 Bone Shaman
1 Enslaved Scout
1 Flare
1 Fumarole
1 Gaze of Pain
1 Goblin Mutant
1 Gangrenous Zombies
1 Gorilla Shaman
1 Hoar Shade
1 Incinerate
1 Knight of Stromgald
2 Krovikan Fetish
1 Lim-Dûl's Cohort
1 Lim-Dûl's High Guard
2 Meteor Shower
1 Moor Fiend
1 Orcish Farmer
1 Pyroclasm
4 Snow-Covered Swamp
2 Soul Kiss
1 Withering Wisps
7 Mountain
5 Swamp

Sideboard
1 Burnt Offering
1 Earthlink
1 Errantry
1 Fear
3 Fevered Strength
1 Gorilla War Cry
1 Hematite Talisman
1 Icequake
1 Mole Worms
1 Mountain Titan
2 Orcish Farmer
2 Pestilence Rats
1 Pyroblast
1 Shatter
2 Snow-Covered Mountain
1 Soldevi Adnate
1 Soul Kiss
1 Spoils of Evil
1 Staff of the Ages
1 Stench of Evil
1 Stone Rain
2 Touch of Death
1 Varchild's Crusader
2 Mountain
3 Swamp

CHRIS STELZER
2 Dire Wolves
1 Disenchant
1 Elvish Bard
3 Elvish Healer
2 Elvish Ranger
1 Fyndhorn Druid
1 Gorilla Chieftain
2 Heal
1 Inheritance
3 Kjeldoran Escort
1 Kjeldoran Frostbeast
1 Kjeldoran Outpost
1 Kjeldoran Warrior
1 Pit Trap
1 Splintering Wind
1 Veldt
1 Whip Vine
1 Woolly Mammoths
7 Forest
7 Plains
1 Snow-covered Plain

Sideboard
1 Battle Cry
1 Death Ward
2 Elvish Spirit Guide
1 Essence Filter
1 Fyndhorn Brownie
1 Gorilla Pack
1 Kjeldoran Skycaptain
1 Lure
1 Martyrdom
1 Nature's Chosen
2 Pyknite
1 Regeneration
2 Rime Dryad
2 Snow-Covered Plains
1 Touch of Vitae
1 Whip Vine
3 Forest

KEVIN STELZER
1 Adarkar Sentinel
1 Arcane Denial
1 Benthic Explorers
1 Binding Grasp
1 Counterspell
2 Disenchant
1 Force Void
1 Glacial Wall
2 Illusionary Forces
1 Kjeldoran Elite Guard
1 Kjeldoran Pride
2 Kjeldoran Skyknight
1 Ray of Command
1 Reprisal
1 Seraph
1 Spectral Shield
1 Storm Crow
2 Wild Aesthir
2 Word of Undoing
8 Island
8 Plains

Sideboard
2 Adarkar Unicorn
1 Arctic Foxes
1 Arenson's Aura
3 Armor of Faith
1 Balduvian Conjurer
2 Balduvian Shaman
1 Black Scarab
1 Blue Scarab
1 Circle of Protection: Green
2 Circle of Protection: Red
1 Dream of the Dead
2 Fylgja
1 Hipparion
1 Ice Berg
3 Infuse
1 Kjeldoran Skyknight
2 Lat-Nam's Legacy
1 Mercenaries
1 Red Scarab
1 Sea Sprite
1 Shyft
1 Sleight of Mind
2 Snow-Covered Plains
1 Snowfall
1 Unlikely Alliance
1 Warning
2 Island

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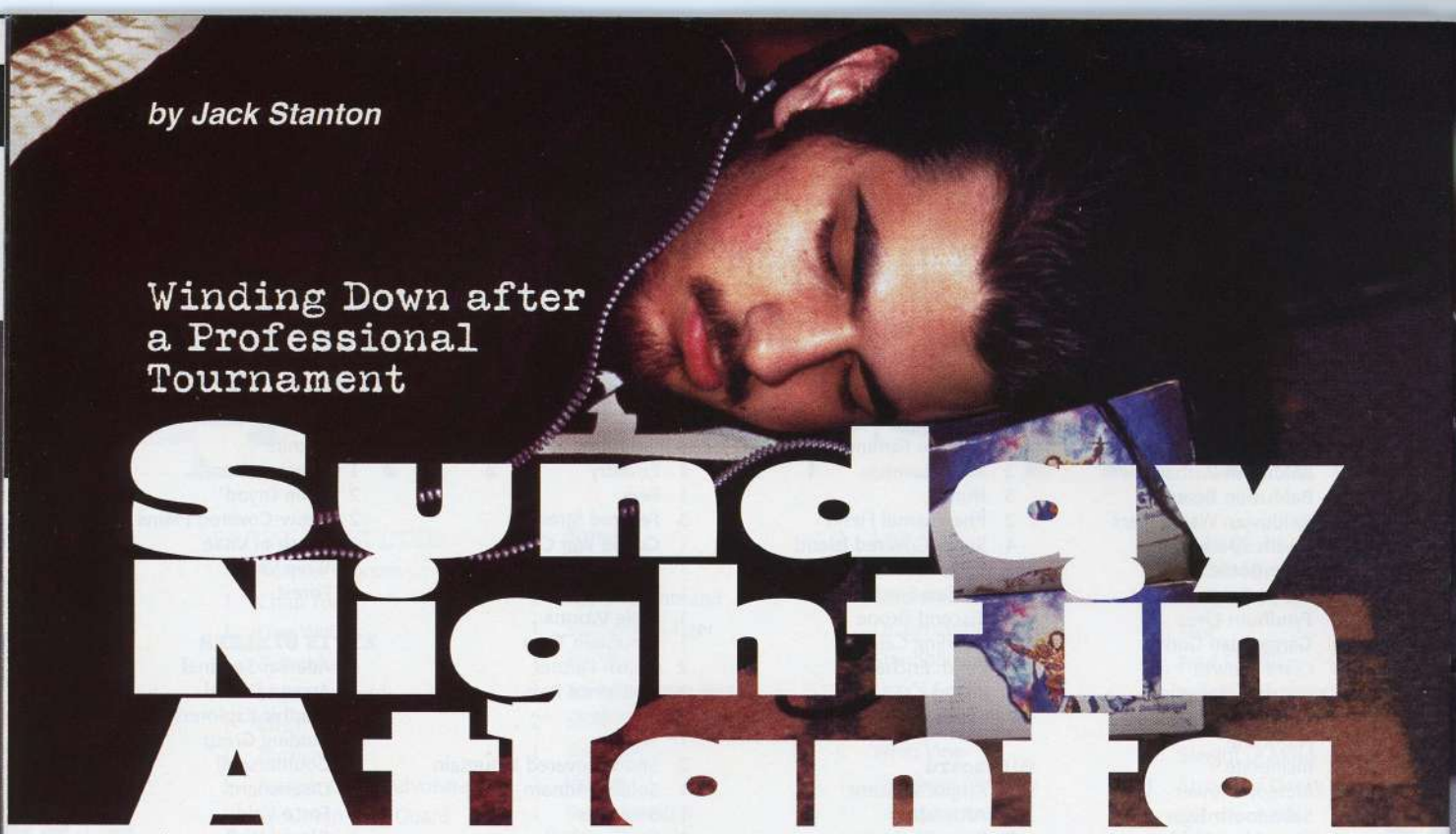

by Jack Stanton

Winding Down after a Professional Tournament

Sunday Night in Atlanta

Question: Where do most of the players competing in Pro Tour events go after the main event is finished and the various side events have all been played out?

Answer: To the lobby of the tournament's main hotel—in the case of Pro Tour–Atlanta, that meant the Marriot Marquis in downtown Atlanta, where players joined in a contagious night of booster drafts, sealed deck, and constructed-ante play.

Ever since Pro Tour–New York last February, the very first stop on WotC's Pro Tour schedule, Sunday nights have become the unofficial time for players of all ages to chill out and play a few games of **Magic** against some of the best players in the world. Players have often bumped their flights an extra day in order to hang out and relax after the long weekend of stiff competition. Sunday night in Atlanta was no exception, as players from various destinations engaged in friendly games of **Magic**.

Magic games of all kinds could be found taking place: John Yoo and Truc Bui, both from California, were setting up an *Ice Age/Alliances* starter-deck tournament after missing their flight to Los Angeles. "They thought my trophy was a bomb," said Yoo, who was a Master-division semifinalist in Atlanta. "They wouldn't let me open the box [that the trophy was in] because they thought I might detonate something. It cost us half an hour, and we missed our scheduled flight!"

Meanwhile, U.S. National Champion Dennis Bentley, of Rochester, New York, was beaming ear to ear. "I've won enough to cover my trip," said Bentley, who mentioned that he and Pro Tour–Long Beach champion Shawn "Hammer" Regnier had just beaten Canadian soulmates Paul McCabe and Terry Borer in a sealed-deck match. The stakes were high: an Unlimited Black Lotus and a Mox Pearl, ante rarely seen in today's game.

At the other end of the lobby, 1995 Canadian National Champion Eric Tam was discussing *Mirage* strategy with this year's Worlds Finalist Mark Justice, while trying to figure out how his half of a Pearl got put up for ante while he was away at dinner. Hmm....

David Dittmer, of Acton, Massachusetts, enjoyed several quality *Ice Age/Alliances* constructed games against yours truly and Aaron Muranaka of Layton, Utah, another Master-division semifinalist in Atlanta. Said Dittmer, "This is the best way to get prepared for the next Qualifier."

One particular player, Nate Clarke, of Londonderry, New Hampshire, flew into Atlanta just to play against some of the top-ranked players in side games. A win in sealed deck against New Jersey's Jon Finkel and two more victories against Mark Justice highlighted his weekend. "I underestimated him, and he made me pay for it," said Justice.

As the players entered the wee hours of the morning, Michael Elkaim, from Brussels, Belgium, and Matthew Perez of Seattle were waging a hard-fought duel to see who would play the sleeping Arko Toikka, of Helsinki, Finland, for a pile of cards including Italian *Legends* and a number of the new *Mirage* cards.

Elkaim probably summed up things best when he replied that the "people" were what made this night special for him. "Rarely do I get to see this many people playing the game of **Magic** and really enjoying it. And the level that the players play at, that's what makes this whole Pro Tour circuit great. I just hope I can qualify for Dallas."

LINE 'EM UP

Age Poses no Barrier for Alexander Sutherland

by Beth Moursund

Twelve-year-old Alex Sutherland of Concord, Massachusetts, was not just the youngest player ever to reach the quarterfinals of any Pro Tour event; he's one of the youngest participants to compete in WotC's Pro Tour circuit, period. Pro Tour—Atlanta was actually the second professional tournament for Sutherland, who also competed in Columbus, Ohio, last July, placing twenty-first overall in the Junior division.

"I got better luck this time around," Sutherland commented. "Last time I played Paul McCabe in the first round and Terry Borer in the second round." Canada's McCabe and Borer wound up being the Junior finalists at Pro Tour—Columbus. But Sutherland can hold his own against older players, too: he played in one of the 1996 regionals but finished thirty-third, just missing the cutoff for advancing after losing to Pro Tour—Long Beach finalist Tom Guevin of Nashua, New Hampshire.

Sutherland discovered **Magic** in late 1994. "I went to school one day in fifth grade, and my friend came in and told me there was this really cool game he'd started playing, He let me borrow some of his cards, and we played," he said.

Sutherland eventually taught his father (who competed in the Master division at Atlanta) to play **Magic** as well. He says that not many of his classmates at the Fenn School (a private school in Concord) play, however. "People think it's stupid to play **Magic** at my school. I don't know why." Still, Sutherland is in no danger of running out of things to do with his friends; he plays various sports, including tennis, soccer, and basketball.

More than anything, Sutherland is looking forward to Pro Tour—Dallas this month. "I play Type II [Standard] far more often than I play Sealed Deck [Limited Environment]. I'm more confident when I play Type II. There's a lot less luck to it. There's a lot less pressure in Sealed Deck, though. Like, half of it's up to the cards [you get]."

He thinks the addition of *Mirage* will make the playing environment much more interesting, though he does have a few reservations. "I was really happy when they decided they were going to restrict Hymn [to Tourach], because a Necrodeck makes so many other interesting types of decks nonviable. I'm kind of disappointed that they put Stupor in.... You're going to be seeing Stupor more than you see Hymn because it's only one black in the casting cost."

He might be just be a kid, but Alex Sutherland has already shown he can compete with the best of 'em.

by Melody Alder

PREPPING FOR THE BIG TIME

Junior Competitors Reach for Higher Education

For 18-year-old Aaron Souders, winning the 1996 Junior division in Atlanta was, as he put it, a "godsend." Originally from Elburn, Illinois, Souders left home to attend Eureka College in Eureka, Illinois, and is now in his sophomore year. He traveled all the way to Atlanta to compete in the Junior division and won $8,400 in scholarship money for his trouble.

"I really didn't think I was going to be able to go to college next year, and now I can," Souders said between grins and nods at the passing players who were congratulating him. "I think the scholarship money is going to keep me in for four years."

Such heart-felt elation from Souders can't help but make Wizards of the Coast personnel feel all warm and fuzzy inside. The company is giving away a total of $170,000 in scholarship money in 1997 alone—that's $30,000 for each of the four stops on the Pro Tour schedule and $50,000 for the Junior Championship. Souders claims that for him, **Magic** has always been "fun" and "a boredom killer," but now, it seems, the game has crossed into the realm of education. Who'd of thunk it?

Well, Kärin Kriznik, director of Event Management at WotC, for one. She, along with game designer Skaff Elias and Events Coordinator (now Arena League Director) Rob Voce, were instrumental in the early decision that Junior competitors be paid in scholarship money. Says Kriznik, "The cost for college is a tremendous burden for most young people. Paying students in scholarship guarantees funds will be available for their education."

And WotC is definitely committed to furthering the education of young **Magic** players. **Magic**, after all, is an intellectual game, so it makes sense that it should encourage intellectual pursuits. Eighteen-year-old Brian Wilson of Seattle, who won $3,000 in scholarship money at Pro Tour–Long Beach, put it nicely when he said, "**Magic** makes you think a lot. You have to be really sharp... I think it actually prepares you for college." Indeed, and in more ways than one.

So why pay Junior winners in scholarship money instead of cash? Well, besides that whole encouragement-of-higher-education thing, scholarship winners are not responsible for the 30 percent tax that's required on other prize money. Explains Kriznik, "I think most of them would rather have the money paid toward books and tuition than taxes."

Nineteen-year-old Terry Borer, from North York, Toronto, competed in the Master division (and made it to the quarterfinal round) in Atlanta, but came in first place in the Junior division at Pro Tour–Columbus in July. Of his $8,400 scholarship winnings from the summer event, he uses about $2,800 a year for tuition at the University of Toronto and projects that the prize money will last him for three years' tuition. "Scholarship money kind of appeases the parents a bit," he says. "I don't know if you really want to give a fifteen-year-old kid thousands and thousands of dollars."

Fifteen-year-old Louis Beryl and sixteen-year-old David Parker might disagree with that philosophy, however. Beryl hails from Palm Beach Gardens, Florida, and finished in second place in the Junior division at Atlanta for a scholarship prize of $5,000. As yet, he still has two years of high school to complete and hasn't decided on a college or a major. But judging from the way Beryl is playing, he just may have enough scholarship money to pay for all of his tuition by the time he's ready to use it.

Parker, of Rochester, New York, won $2,900 in Columbus and notes that he'd prefer cash winnings. "If they gave me normal money, I'd probably just buy a car 'cause I just got my license." Perhaps he'll get that car anyway and be glad in a few years that he has part of his college tuition paid upfront.

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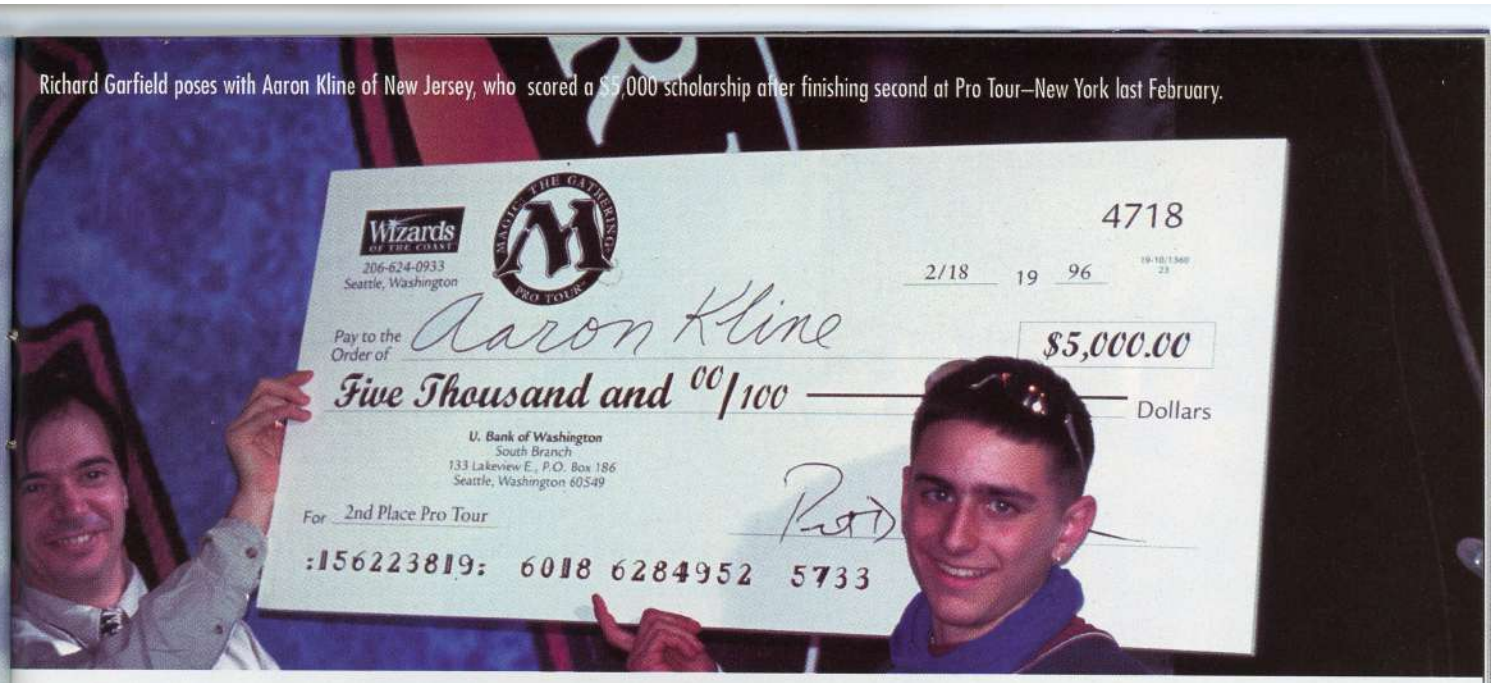

Richard Garfield poses with Aaron Kline of New Jersey, who scored a $5,000 scholarship after finishing second at Pro Tour–New York last February.

Max Szlagor, the eighteen-year-old Junior champion at Pro Tour–Long Beach, like Souders, won $8,400. Currently, he's attending a community college near his home in Shaumburg, Illinois, and plans to transfer to the University of Illinois. Though Szlagor admits he's an entrepreneur (he's majoring in business), his enjoyment of **Magic** doesn't just spring from potential prize money. "**Magic**'s really brought me a lot of good friendships; that's one of the best things about it."

Other Junior winners seem to agree with Szlagor. Winner of $2,900 from the Junior competition in Columbus, eighteen-year-old Jon Finkel of Fanwood, New Jersey, is now attending Rutgers University and claims that he met most of his friends through playing **Magic**. Likewise, Paul McCabe of Toronto, Canada, whose total scholarship winnings are the largest in the Pro Tour so far–$10,500–says that besides money, **Magic** has brought him "the opportunity to go to a lot of neat places and to meet a lot of interesting people." Of course, McCabe started playing **Magic** with two of his high school friends, Eric Tam and Terry Borer, both of whom share in the Pro Tour experience.

Magic seems to be a sharing kind of experience all around, and WotC is proud to be able to take part in that. "I'm truly happy to be able to make a difference is someone's education," said Kriznik of Aaron Souders's scholarship winnings. And Souders is not only helping to further *his* education through **Magic**, but also plans to educate others. He's majoring in Elementary Education at Eureka and wants to teach kindergarten when he graduates.

Will he be teaching his students to play **Magic**? Well, if we ever see a five-year-old competing on the Pro Tour, we just may find out the answer.

Junior-Division Scholarship Winners

Atlanta, Sept. 13–15, 1996

Champion	($8,400)	Aaron Souders	Elburn, IL	19
Finalist	($5,000)	Louis Beryl	Palm Beach Gardens, FL	15
Semifinalist	($2,900)	Daniel Connelly	Latham, NY	17
Semifinalist	($2,900)	Jason Gordon	Fairfield, CT	16
Quarterfinalist	($1,700)	Trevor Blackwell	Modesto, CA	17
Quarterfinalist	($1,700)	David Lively	Northboro, MA	16
Quarterfinalist	($1,700)	James Murphy	Arlington, TX	17
Quarterfinalist	($1,700)	Alexander Sutherland	Concord, MA	12
9th	$500	Phillip Hua	San Jose, CA	17
10th	$500	Tom Fitzpatrick	Las Vegas, NV	16
11th	$500	Chris Stelzer	Des Moines, IA	17
12th	$500	Mark LePine	Merrimack, NH	14
13th	$500	Eric Albertson	Portland, OR	18
14th	$500	Jason Moungey	Waterloo, WI	18
15th	$500	Richard Boyes	Bothell, WA	18
16th	$500	Brian Wilson	Redmond, WA	17

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Whispers from the Stromgald Spy

by Lisa Stevens

The Stromgald Spy was slinking around the Atlanta Apparel Mart during the recent Pro Tour event and overheard all sorts of interesting tidbits she'd like to pass your way.

Perhaps the funniest episode took place when Mark Chalice was trying to get Pacific Coast Legends teammate Mark Justice to go to bed the night before the all-important team tournament. It appears Acclaim might be offering Team PCL $100,000 worth of sponsorship money for the upcoming season. Chalice challenged Justice to a *Mirage* Solomon Draft, with the winner taking all the cards, forty green points, and, provided Chalice won, Justice would go to bed. If Justice won, however, he could stay up all night. Justice prevailed 2–1.

Electronics Boutique (EB) sponsored a squad for the team competition in Atlanta. Team Entropy—consisting of Rick Vasquez, Bin Chen, Jay Luo, David Leader, and Daniel Redys—did well, almost pulling off an upset against Team PCL, before Preston Poulter drew the land he needed to Hurricane his opponent to death. Rumor has it that EB is looking to sponsor three teams for Dallas.

Neutral Ground was trying to collect $1,000 in donations to bet in a grudge match between Stephen O'Mahoney-Schwartz and Nate "the self-proclaimed best player in the world" Clark. It seems that Clark has been trashing Pro Tour players (primarily on the Internet), and especially Neutral Ground players, with his posts to the **Magic** strategy lists. The bet would pit Clark against O'Mahoney-Schwartz in a best-of-five games Sealed-Deck match. If Clark wins, he gets $1,000, but if O'Mahoney-Schwartz comes out on top, then Clark is forbidden to make another post to the strategy lists. The grudge match should play itself out in Dallas (November 22–24).

We managed to catch up with reigning **Magic** World Champion Tom Chanpheng at the Atlanta event, where he was being sponsored by Ultra•Pro Australia. Chanpheng mentioned that he's been getting all sorts of queries from people interested in acquiring his one-of-a-kind **Magic** card, including a rumored $10,000 offer on the Internet from a die-hard Christopher Rush fan. Rush was the artist who painted the illustration for Chanpheng's card. The world champ wants to make it clear that the card is not for sale.

Meanwhile, Mark Justice will be launching a personal "Road to the World Championships" tour in Dallas. While there are no announced sponsors for the tour just yet, Justice did say that a couple are "in the works." His rationale is that since he lost to Switzerland's Alexander Blumke in the semifinals of the 1995 Worlds, and this year lost in the championship finals to Chanpheng, that 1997 is the year for Justice. The tour will make stops at all Pro Tour events, in addition to hitting many of the top conventions. Justice will stage some type of challenge where opponents have to beat him in a number of different formats for thousands of dollars in prizes. Rumor has it that one of the potential prizes could be Justice's game and card store in Salt Lake City, Utah.

• A beta tournament was organized by the players on Saturday evening. Eight top players paid $100 each to enter the tournament, which featured the likes of Shawn "Hammer" Regnier, Mark Chalice, Mark Rosewater, and Mario Robaina. However, in the end, Seattle's own Matt Hyra outlasted everyone. Congratulations!

• The most impressive move at the Atlanta event came from Mark Chalice. Here was the scenario: Chalice had Viscerid Drone on the board and not much in his hand, while his opponent was sporting Abyssal Specter and Shambling Strider on the board. Things looked bleak until Chalice pulled out his Ray of Command. He cast it on his opponent's Specter, attacked for 2 damage, forced his opponent to discard a card, and then sacked the Specter to the Drone to bury the Strider. This completely turned the game around and Chalice pulled out the victory.

• U.S. National Champion Dennis Bentley's practice group got ready for the *Mirage* Sealed-Deck tournament by playing with cards from *Fourth Edition,* but cards that normally have banding were deemed to have flanking, and those with trample had phasing.

Dallas is fast approaching (just two weeks away!), with a new restriction for Standard (Type II), *Mirage* cards legal for sanctioned play, and a high-profile Classic (Type I) tournament on the agenda. Players are speculating on how *Mirage* and the new restrictions will affect the Standard tournament format. The Stromgald Spy will be there to bring you all the latest news. See y'all in Big D.

BY ANDY COLLINS

Arena League News

Summer Season Scoop

At the time this article was written, the Summer Season of Arena had only recently drawn to a close. Over 3,000 players at nearly 200 stores participated in the league, and competition was fierce for the top spots at each store.

Three players distinguished themselves with their strong league play. Each one accumulated an Arena player rating of over 1900, placing them at the exalted rank of Lord Magus of Arena. These players were Patrick Henderson of Aptos, California (who finished with a rating of 1962), Robert Shaffer of Tinley Park, Illinois (final rating 1951), and Jim Lemire of Southboro, Massachusetts (final rating 1921). Congratulations to these three individuals; time will tell if they can continue their success or if the hordes of hungry Masters, Journeymen, and Initiates below them will dethrone the newly crowned Lord Magi.

Three **Magic** Pro Tour Qualifiers were held at the end of the Summer Season exclusively for Arena participants. These tournaments were held in Los Angeles, Boston, and New York City as yet another way of rewarding Arena players for their participation in the league. The three top individuals who won invitations (and plane fare) to Pro Tour–Dallas were Steve Hirsch (City of Angels), Jim Lemire (Beantown), and Igor Frayman (The Big Apple). Arena and Wizards of the Coast congratulate these three players, and wish them luck in the Pro Tour!

Harvest Season Info

The Harvest Season opened on September 20, with nearly 400 stores and 8,000 players. Four more Arena Pro Tour Qualifiers were scheduled at the end of this season; results for the season, as well as these tournaments, were unavailable at press time.

Autumn Season Update

On November 8, Arena began its third season in over forty metropolitan areas across the nation. This season features an exciting limited-environment format called Continuous Draft. This format tests players' deck-building skills as it requires them to build a new deck from a limited pool of cards before each match.

In Continuous-Draft play, players begin with a set number of starter deck(s) and/or booster pack(s) as determined at the beginning of play. For the Autumn Season of Arena, each player must purchase three booster packs of any combination of *Fourth Edition* and/or *Ice Age*. In other words, players may choose three packs of *Fourth Edition*, three packs of *Ice Age*, or two packs from one set and one pack from the other.

Before the first draft only, each player may be required by the rules to remove a number of cards from play before proceeding. This is the only time a player may remove cards from play. For the Autumn Season, each player must remove one card before the first match. This card will never be included in future drafts; it is for you, the player, to keep as your own.

You may have played some form of Continuous Draft before; make sure you familiarize yourself with Arena's version of this play type before playing your first match. Issue #13 of *The Duelist* details how Continuous Draft works in Arena; players can find additional information in the Arena Floor Rules, the Player's Guide to Arena (available at your local store when you register for Arena), or on Arena's website <http://www.wizards.com/Arena>.

Arena Ratings System Information

We've heard a lot of questions from Arena players about how they can improve their rating. The answer seems simple at first–win more matches–but that doesn't fully answer the question.

To improve your rating quickly, you should defeat higher-rated players. The higher the rating of your opponent, the more points you can win by defeating them (and the fewer points you will lose by losing the match). Players who "pile up" victories over low-rated players will find that their rating rises relatively slowly, and a single loss to a lower-rated player can undo several victories. Thus, players who are concerned with their rating should seek out opponents of equal or greater skill level in order to maximize their rating improvement.

On the other hand, less experienced players are reminded that they, like any Arena player, need not play anyone against their will. One nice feature of Arena is that it allows players to compete against any opponent–there are no rounds or seeding in the league. Players who feel uncomfortable competing against the top players in their area are advised to seek players of similar skill levels to their own in order to build their **Magic** expertise.

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OFFICIAL NEWS CONCERNING THE DCI

DCI UPDATE

COMPILED BY JASON CARL

The Duelists' Convocation International officially announces the departure of *Fallen Empires* and *Ice Age* from the Standard (Type II) tournament environment. Cards from these sets will no longer be permitted in sanctioned Standard tournaments starting January 1, 1997.

The DCI will continue to sanction the following tournament formats after January 1, 1997, but will calculate the results in the appropriate ratings category:

Ice Age Constructed	Classic (Type I)
Ice Age Sealed Deck	Limited
Ice Age/Alliances Constructed	Classic (Type I)
Ice Age/Alliances Sealed Deck	Limited

Official Changes in Standard (Type II) Deck Construction

Effective January 1, 1997

The DCI has reached a decision to change the format of the Standard environment, beginning on January 1, 1997. Previously, the environment was defined as the largest set of currently available cards. This policy created quite a large tournament environment! However, because of inconsistencies in print-run sizes, expansions sometimes remained in the environment longer than we anticipated, and some sets were in danger of leaving the environment before competitors had a chance to fully explore their cards' capabilities.

In order to regulate these factors in the face of inconsistent availability of expansions, the DCI is changing the composition of the Standard environment to one wherein the basic sets and stand-alone expansions will replace old versions of each other as the new version is released, and limited-edition expansions will be replaced by the next limited-edition expansion a year later. Card sets should enter the environment as another set leaves, keeping Standard tournaments fresh, challenging, and exciting over time. The DCI believes this will also enable competitors to more easily predict which card sets are permitted in Standard tournament play at any given time.

The DCI has previously promised ninety days notice prior to removing any card set from the Standard environment; since the new policy is not effective until January 1, 1997, the DCI is notifying members at this time that *Fallen Empires* and *Ice Age* will be leaving the Standard environment in January 1997.

The following Standard Floor Rules will therefore read as follows on January 1, 1997:

2.3 Standard (Type II) Deck Construction

Standard tournament decks may consist of cards from **Magic: The Gathering**, as well as any current extensions of the basic set, all current limited-edition expansion sets, and all current stand-alone expansion sets. Players may also include cards from previous printings that appear in the most current edition as long as they do not have features that create "marked" cards, such as cards with corners that are rounder than other cards.

The DCI uses the following policy to determine the composition of the Standard environment:

- New editions of the basic set replace old versions and are permitted in Standard play thirty days after the release date of the new edition.
- New stand-alone expansions (e.g., *Ice Age, Mirage*) replace previous stand-alone expansions and are permitted in Standard play thirty days after the release date of the new edition.
- Limited-edition expansions are replaced thirty days after the release date of the next limited-edition expansion, which has a release date of more than ten months later than the release date of the outgoing limited-edition expansion.

Card set:	Replaced by:	When is it replaced?
Basic set	New edition of basic set	Thirty days after release date of new basic set
Stand-alone	New stand-alone	Thirty days after release date of new stand-alone
Limited-ed. expansion	New limited-edition expansion which has a release date of more than 10 months after the outgoing limited-edition expansion's release date	Thirty days release date of new limited-edition expansion

Example of new policy: When *Fallen Empires* and *Ice Age* leave the Standard tournament environment on January 1, 1997, the card sets permitted in this format will be as follows: *Fourth Edition* (basic set), *Chronicles* (extension of the basic set), *Mirage* (stand-alone expansion), *Alliances* (limited-edition expansion), and *Homelands* (limited-edition expansion).

The next card set scheduled for release is *Visions,* due for release in January or February 1997. When *Visions* is released, it will replace *Homelands* in the Standard environment.

Fifth Edition Rules

Effective November 8, 1996

The ***Magic: The Gathering***—*Fifth Edition* rules will be effective at all DCI-sanctioned tournaments as of November 8, 1996. The new rules may be found in all *Mirage* starter decks and in issue #13 of *The Duelist.*

Standard Floor Rules Additions

Effective November 1, 1996

On November 1, 1996, the following sections of the DCI Standard Floor Rules for **Magic: The Gathering** will be amended to read as follows:

1.1a All consequences resulting from violations of DCI Standard Floor Rules that come to the attention of the judge MUST be enforced. Competitors are not permitted to waive penalties on behalf of their opponents.

1.1b Regardless of the wishes of the competitors involved, judges must correct any rules mistake (whether from the Standard Floor Rules or from the rules for **Magic: The Gathering**) they notice or that is brought to their attention, and must ensure that the appropriate consequences are applied.

1.2.1a Prior to each duel, competitors must complete all sideboarding decisions, deck shuffling, and shuffling of their opponent's deck within five minutes. Violation of this rule may be considered stalling, and therefore may result in a warning or disqualification from current competition at the discretion of the judge. The judge and/or Tournament Organizer may choose to set a time limit for these procedures of less than five minutes. This time limit must be adequately advertised and announced prior to the tournament.

DCI Player Rankings Report

TOP 250 CLASSIC (TYPE 1)

(RANKINGS AS OF SEPTEMBER 30,1996)

rank*	player*	city,state*	rating*
1	Chad Hastaba	Middle Village, NY	1904
2	Scott Schilz	Lakewood, CO	1897
3	Jon Finkel	Fanwood, NJ	1860
4	Igor Frayman	Los Angeles, CA	1835
5	Tom Guevin	Nashua, NH	1833
6	Michael Pustilnik	Brooklyn, NY	1827
7	Russell Smith	Denver, CO	1823
8	Robert Kline	Kings Port, TN	1821
9	Charles Ramirez	Whittier, CA	1817
10	Thomas Andersson	Täby, Sweden	1808
11	Bryce Currence	Claremont, CA	1807
11	George Ngo	Los Angeles, CA	1807
13	Adam Hunt	N. Benton, OH	1803
14	Leon Lindbäck	Stockholm, Sweden	1797
15	Joe Arnold	Huntsville, AL	1789
16	Steven O'Mahoney-Schwartz	Brooklyn, NY	1787
17	Michael Katz	Rochester , NY	1785
18	Shane Cargilo	Lake Forest, CA	1784
18	Clint Whaley	Knoxville, TN	1784
20	Dave Alexander	Nashville, TN	1783
21	Eddie Grubaugh	Berkeley, CA	1779
22	Danny Broyles	Lubbock, TX	1772
23	Chris Berryman	La Canada, CA	1771
24	Edwin Stahlnecker	Denver, CO	1770
25	David W. Strunk Jr.	Anaheim, CA	1768
26	James Paul Wisniewiski	Buffalo, NY	1767
27	Greg Foley	Englewood, CO	1765
28	Michael Schulte	Simi Valley, CA	1764
29	David Bartholow	Ithaca, NY	1762
30	Keri Ann Mulinix	Irvine, CA	1761
31	James McGovern	Middle Village, NY	1759
32	Jeffrey Kuta	Oakland, CA	1757
32	Charles Kornblith	Pasadena, CA	1757
32	Biren Amin	Laurel, MD	1757
32	Maynadier Boris	Castres, France	1757
36	Darwin Kastle	Allston, MA	1756
37	Stephen Hong	Hicksville, NY	1755
38	David Parr	Dallas, TX	1754
39	Scott Esstex	Fairfield, CA	1749
40	Morrie Mullins	Lansing, MI	1747
40	Rom Glodt	–	1747
42	Gabe Higa	Lancaster, CA	1744
42	Ashleigh Heiser	Boulder, CO	1744
42	Jack Woosley	Henderson, NV	1744
45	Gary Glass	Thousand Oaks, CA	1739
45	Don Mayhew	Lincoln, NE	1739
45	Nathan Jones	Centralia, IL	1739
48	Matt Place	Kansas City, MO	1737
48	Mark Chalice	Claremont, CA	1737
50	Patrick Woo	Corvallis, OR	1736
50	Robert Crosby	Northridge, CA	1736
52	Christopher Otwell	Colorado Springs, CO	1735
53	Eric Kirkman	Denver, CO	1734
53	Wai Lau	Lake Forest, CA	1734
53	Kent Bridge	Norman, OK	1734
53	Jeff Sluzmdo	Dearborn, MI	1734
57	Scott Johns	Northridge, CA	1733
57	Darin Thomas	Thousand Oaks, CA	1733
59	Rick Bird	Canton, OH	1729
60	Navid Zivelin	San Diego, CA	1728
60	Justin Serulneck	Framingham, MA	1728
62	Michael J. Nickoloff	La Canada, CA	1727
62	John Chinnock	Summit, NJ	1727
62	David Berg	Rolla, MO	1727
62	Steve Hatten	Rock Falls, IL	1727
66	Eric Wenokor	Brooklyn, NY	1726
66	Tim Dibartolo	Blackwood, NJ	1726
66	Adrian Dandrea	Elmira, NY	1726
69	Jason Pass	Regina, Canada	1725
69	Zvi Mowshowitz	New York, NY	1725
71	Shannon Hill	Lubbock, TX	1724
71	Jason Keller	Arlington, TX	1724
73	Paul J. Paella	Tonawanda, NY	1722
73	Harris Kupperman	Brookville, NY	1722
73	Adam Green	Nashua, NH	1722
73	Eric Taylor	Freeport, IL	1722
77	Johan Disenborg	Tyreso, Sweden	1720
78	Heath Jennings	Thousand Oaks, CA	1719
78	Dongwoo Son	Seoul, Korea	1719
80	Corey Brandes	Trenton, MI	1718
81	Brian Weissman	Campbell, CA	1717
81	John Song	Ferndale , MI	1717
81	Shane Kaepshield	Aurora, CO	1717
84	Clint Couse	St. Louis, MO	1716
84	Henry Johnson	San Luis Obispo, CA	1716
84	Anthony Ramirez	N Richland Hills, TX	1716
84	Paul Beemer	Downey, CA	1716
84	Kristopher Lohman	Kaneohe, HI	1716
84	Louis Parrington	Bullhead City, AZ	1716
90	Nick Bonokoski	Regina, Canada	1715
90	Jim Lemire	Southboro, MA	1715
90	Daniel O'Mahoney-Schwartz	Brooklyn, NY	1715
90	Tony Tsai	Ithaca, NY	1715
90	Marc Paschover	Brooklyn, NY	1715
95	Michael Naverre	Balboa Islands, CA	1714
95	Phong Huynh	Grand Prairie, TX	1714
97	Scott Holman	Gatlinburg, TN	1713
98	Joe Oxford	Oklahoma City, OK	1712
98	Chris Baker	Hermitage, TN	1712
98	Bob Allbright	Madison, WI	1712
101	Damon Dubois	Moorpark, CA	1711
101	Brian Messman	Albany, OR	1711
103	Mike Guptil	Clinton Township, MI	1710
103	Niklas Eriksson	Sollentuna, Sweden	1710
103	Tomas Larsson	Stockholm, Sweden	1710
103	Griffin Poole	Germantown, TN	1710
107	Van Russell	Hazel Green, AL	1709
107	James Ferguson Jr	Huntsville, AL	1709
109	Huei-Saint Shwe	Los Angeles, CA	1708
109	Patrick Albro	Rochester, NY	1708
109	Michael Stonitsch	Stow, OH	1708
109	Stéphane Paquay	Amay, Belgium	1708
113	Derek Corsaro	Las Vegas, NV	1707
114	Thierry Dallacroce	Calabassas, CA	1705
114	Sam Hau	Los Angeles, CA	1705
116	Kent McClard	Goleta, CA	1704
116	Jeff Broido	San Diego, CA	1704
116	Keith Logan	Sussex, Canada	1704
119	Don Barkauskas	Berkeley, CA	1703
119	Jay Austin	Escondido, CA	1703
119	Alex Hidalgo	Miami, FL	1703
119	Ted Stanulis	Ann Arbor, MI	1703
123	John Grieggs	Fullerton, CA	1701
123	Frank Shefner	Miami, FL	1701
123	Andrew Corley	Hicksville, NY	1701
126	James Zazula	Thunder Bay, Canada	1700
126	Bernard Chang	Irvine, CA	1700
126	Justin Schroeder	Ft Collins, CO	1700
126	Dale Baginski	Sterling Heights, MI	1700
126	Ray Placious	Macedon, NY	1700
131	Frederie Jambukeswaran	Bellrose, NY	1699
131	Shean Brandow	Olympia, WA	1699
133	Richard Dixon	Lawrenceburg, TN	1698
134	Kenny Barefoot	High Point, NC	1697
134	Pappy Ozendorph	Mission Viejo, CA	1697
134	Craig Wescoe	Brentwood, TN	1697
137	Corey Hill	Miami, FL	1696
137	Terry Don	San Lorenzo, CA	1696
137	Mike Buckman	Wolcott, NY	1696
140	Alan Comer	San Marcos, CA	1695
141	Noah Melnick	New York, NY	1694
141	Justin Schneider	Lutherville, MD	1694
143	Gregory Wheat	Ingleside, IL	1693
143	Ryan Eaton	Sparta, TN	1693
143	Jim Keeley	Manhattan, NY	1693
143	Steven Loube	Duluth, GA	1693
147	Shawn Pinkston	Louisville, KY	1692
147	Aaron Terry	Plantation , FL	1692
147	Jason Gordon	Fairfield, CT	1692
147	John Spencer	Asheboro, NC	1692
147	Richard Podolsky	Philadelphia, PA	1692
147	Greg Meyers	Grosse Pointe, MI	1692
153	Nazario Ruelan	Williamstown, NJ	1691
153	JAames Reisehutz	Shirley, MA	1691
153	Tim Wiinikainen	Davie, FL	1691
153	Tim Keefer	Canton, OH	1691
153	Joseph Cain	Mt. Laurel, NJ	1691
158	Ben Lee	Shrewstury, MA	1690
159	Cyrus Alimadadian	Anaheim, CA	1689
159	Heath Kennel	Arvada, CO	1689
159	Doug Hyatt	Knoxville, TN	1689
162	Ronald Zook	McMinnville, OR	1688
162	Tony Wright	Arlington, TX	1688
164	Scott Lonheim	Tacoma, WA	1687
165	Craig Dushane	Spring Lake, MI	1685
165	Joel Unger	Santa Barbara, CA	1685
165	Chris Cojar	Saskatoon, Canada	1685
168	John R. Jacobs	Sanger, CA	1684
168	Joseph Beck	Ithaca, NY	1684
170	Cary Newburger	New York, NY	1683
170	Jeff Harris	–	1683
170	Trevor Boliantz	Regina, Canada	1683
173	Jason Gardner	Orange, CA	1682
173	Jess Means	Columbus, OH	1682
175	Michael Loconto	Grafton, MA	1681
175	Kurtis Hinderliter	Wichita, KS	1681
175	John Elder	Lansing, MI	1681
178	Evan Gridley	Reston, VA	1680
178	Ryan Simpkins	Newport Beach, CA	1680
178	Brad Biddle	Huntington Beach, CA	1680
178	Mark Cheshire	Kinston, NC	1680
178	Lennart Borg	Täby, Sweden	1680
183	Eric Gonce	Las Vegas, NV	1679
184	Maurice Maymard	Salem, OR	1678
184	Chris Pikula	Chesterton, IN	1678
184	James Fendelander	Los Angeles, CA	1678
184	Michael Sparks	Glen Cove, NY	1678
184	Adam Heis	Saskatoon, Canada	1678
184	Don Lewis	Greenville, RI	1678
190	Nick Hsieh	Forest Hills, NY	1677
190	Michael Moniz	Swansea, MA	1677
190	Bryan White	Glen Cove, NY	1677
193	Bob Dove	Bridgeton, MO	1676
194	Jonathan Jarembek	Williamsville, NY	1675
194	James Reeves	Stephenville, TX	1675
194	Arnold Pirtle	Riverview, MI	1675
194	Robert Forester	–	1675
194	Walt Hampton	Nashville, TN	1675
199	Joy Austin	Pleasanton, CA	1674
199	Mike Linkinhoker	Murfreesboro, TN	1674
199	Paul Kohlert	Regina, Canada	1674
202	James D. Jo	Grand Rapids, MI	1673
202	Robert Abel	Davie, FL	1673
204	Douglas Loeper	Colorado Springs, CO	1672
204	Eunho Kang	Seoul, Korea	1672
204	Brian Sewell	Hanford, CA	1672
207	William E. Summers	Marina, CA	1671
207	Benjamin Rush	Clayton, NY	1671
207	Sean Hermanson	Halifax, NS	1671
207	Tom Tingstadius	Spanga, Sweden	1671
211	Matt Kimbrel	Wichita, KS	1670
211	Mark Beaudet	Manchester, NH	1670
213	Peter Costantinidis	Oakland, CA	1669
214	Alexander Zane	Tujunga, CA	1668
214	Oliver Rothschild	New York, NY	1668
214	Aziz Al-Doory	Tallahassee, FL	1668
214	Tom Carter	Gresham, OR	1668
214	Jonathan Derbowka	Regina, Canada	1668
219	Rex Nguyen	Cupertino, CA	1667
219	Brian Fenwick	Ft. Collins, CO	1667
219	Keith Lockhart	Barb, OH	1667
222	Julia Berggren	Claremont, CA	1666
222	Pete Guevin	Nashua, NH	1666
222	Josh Andrus	Keizer, OR	1666
222	Tracy Schillaci	Muskegon, MI	1666
222	Jonathon R Redfield	Brunswick, ME	1666
222	Brandon Goldstein	New York, NY	1666
228	David Everch	Toquerville, UT	1665
229	Salmi Mathes	Canton, OH	1664
229	Brad Leighton	Regina, Canada	1664
229	Daniel Lewis	Fairfield, CT	1664
232	Jay Luo	Dunwoody, GA	1663
233	Chris Devine	–	1662
234	Daniel Campisi	Buffalo, NY	1661
234	Paul Callis	Woodbine, MD	1661
234	Kevin Cain	Levitown, NY	1661
234	Mikael Magnusson	Tyreso, Sweden	1661
238	Pat Langworthy	Rochester, NY	1660
238	Alex Mcconnell	Tallahassee, FL	1660
238	Jeff Reed	–	1660
241	Gabriel Aid	Sherman Oaks, CA	1659
241	Dustin Nordike	Carlyle, IL	1659
241	Jeff Dollarhide	–	1659
244	Joey Weisman	Highland Park, IL	1658
244	Mike Mertens	New York, NY	1658
244	Donggu Kim	Seoul, Korea	1658
244	Eric King	Wyandotte, MI	1658

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TOP 250 STANDARD (TYPE II)

(RANKINGS AS OF SEPTEMBER 30, 1996)

rank*	player*	city,state*	rating*
1	Justin Schneider	Lutherville, MD	1923
2	Scott Johns	Northridge, CA	1909
3	Justin Stiles	Summersville, MO	1899
4	Dennis Bentley	Churchville, NY	1898
5	Gabe Higa	Lancaster, CA	1897
6	David Bachmann	Linden, NJ	1891
7	Adam Green	Nashua, NH	1879
8	David Dittmer	Acton, MA	1876
8	Brian Weissman	Campbell, CA	1876
10	Bruce Swiney	Tacoma, WA	1871
11	Michael Pustilnik	Brooklyn, NY	1870
12	Worth Wollpert	Chardon, OH	1864
13	Steven O'Mahoney-Schwartz	Brooklyn, NY	1862
14	Peter Leiher	Largo, FL	1861
15	Jim Lemire	Southboro, MA	1859
15	Silvere Bonhomme	Bar-Le-Duc, France	1859
17	Bill Sperounis	Roslindale, MA	1857
17	Neil Guthrie	Stockholm, Sweden	1857
19	Kyle Bigos	Tallahassee, FL	1855
20	Josh Bradford	Tallahassee, FL	1853
21	Jason Radecki	Porter, IN	1851
22	Eric Tam	Toronto, Canada	1849
23	David Yo	Roswell, GA	1848
24	Collin Hayes	Plantation, FL	1846
25	Brad Mennell	Newton, MA	1843
25	Jon Finkel	Fanwood, NJ	1843
27	Paul J. Paella	Tonawanda, NY	1842
28	John Chinnock	Summit, NJ	1840
29	John Hoftyzer	Springfield, MO	1839
30	Aaron Terry	Plantation, FL	1838
31	Yuh Kong Liao	Tallahassee, FL	1833
32	Kurt Burgner	Torrance, CA	1831
32	Cory Fergison	New Hope, MN	1831
34	Robert Kline	Kings Port, TN	1827
34	Aziz Al-Doory	Tallahassee, FL	1827
36	Mark Chalice	Claremont, CA	1826
37	Rick Latham	Springfield, MO	1823
37	Chris Pikula	Chester, IN	1823
39	Paul Callis	Woodbine, MD	1822
39	DavidHumpherys	Somerville, MA	1822
41	Jesse Powell	Stockton, CA	1820
42	Gabriel Alonso	Mount Laurel, NJ	1819
42	Bryan Sammon	Carrollton, TX	1819
44	David Mintz	San Luis Obispo, CA	1815
45	Scott Prince	Burton, MI	1814
46	John Immordino	Carmichael, CA	1813
46	Tony Soto	Palmdale, CA	1813
46	Tim Danzinger	Bartlesville, OK	1813
46	Nathan Allen	Santa Barbara, CA	1813
50	John Impellizzeri	Coral Gables, FL	1812
51	Aaron Kline	East Windsor, NJ	1809
52	Alan Comer	San Marcos, CA	1808
53	Mario Robaina	Manhattan Beach, CA	1806
53	Harold Rex	Burton, MI	1806
53	Jason Nicoll	High Wycombe, England	1806
56	Thomas Andersson	Täby, Sweden	1805
57	Danny Broyles	Lubbock, TX	1804
58	Eric Eisher	Rose Hill, KS	1802
58	Jason Hee	La Jolla, CA	1802
60	Thierry Dallacroce	Calabassas, CA	1801
61	Eric Wenokor	Brooklyn, NY	1800
61	Brian Smith	Sunnyvale, CA	1800
63	Tom Pettigrew	Anchorage, AK	1799
63	George Baxter	Dallas, TX	1799
63	Jon Press	Wichata, KS	1799
63	Jason Zila	Huntington Beach, CA	1799
63	Rupert Hildago	Miami, FL	1799
63	Robert Gray	Largo, FL	1799
69	Mathew Thornton	Chicago, IL	1798
70	Javier Garavito	Kent, WA	1797
70	Matthew Mcclanahan	Flint, MI	1797
70	Philippe Perbos	Paris, France	1797
70	Seth Burn	New York, NY	1797
74	Alvaro Marques	London, Canada	1795
75	Mark Justice	West Valley City, UT	1794
75	Paul McCabe	Toronto, Canada	1794
75	Christopher Esko	Pittsburgh, PA	1794
75	Yubin Tao	Mountain View, CA	1794
75	Terry Borer	North York, NY	1794
80	Stephen Hong	Hicksville, NY	1793
81	Mike Guptil	Clinton Township, MI	1792
81	Daniel O'Mahoney-Schwartz	Brooklyn, NY	1792
81	David Price	Ithaca, NY	1792
81	Scott Reinfield	Boynton Beach, FL	1792
85	Bob Wagner	Chicago, IL	1791
85	Nathan Wildgrube	New York, NY	1791
85	Eric Briggs	Rolling Hills Estates, CA	1791
88	James Takenaga	Riverside, CA	1790
88	Jeff Kostick	Gainesville, FL	1790
90	Evan Gridley	Reston, VA	1789
90	James Murphy	Arlington , TX	1789
92	Arthur Kimes	Los Angeles, CA	1788
93	Mike Hoffman	Ipswich, MA	1787
94	Darwin Kastle	Allston, MA	1786
94	Chad Hastaba	Middle Village, NY	1786
96	Alex McConnell	Tallahassee, FL	1784
96	Tony Paravano	Grafton, MA	1784
96	Ryder Westergard-Thorpe	Vancouver, WA	1784
99	Lucas Gonzalez	Miami, FL	1783
99	Eric Albertson	Portland, OR	1783
99	Christopher Little	Fenton, MI	1783
102	Michael Jennings	Dubuque, IA	1782
102	Travis Thomas	Loral Springs, FL	1782
102	Tom Guevin	Nashua, NH	1782
105	Mike Brithon	Temecula, CA	1781
106	Joe Stubblefield	Irvine, CA	1780
106	Sam Heckman	Elgin, IL	1780
108	Dominique Berthezene	Orleans, France	1779
109	Ryan Fuller	Burnaby, Canada	1778
110	MacKenzie Patterson	Carmel, CA	1777
110	Heath Jennings	Thousand Oaks, CA	1777
112	Kent McClard	Goleta, CA	1776
112	Henry Johnson	San Luis Obispo, CA	1776
112	Joe Steen	Miami, FL	1776
112	Robert Hahn	New York, NY	1776
116	Ben Kellerstrass	Madison, WI	1775
116	Ron Fraigun	Tujunga, CA	1775
118	Mark Rezendes	Kaneohe, HI	1774
119	Mike Murphy	Kenilworth, NJ	1773
119	Olle Råde	Göteborg, Sweden	1773
121	Mike Dove	Rolla, MO	1772
121	James Robinson	Walnut, CA	1772
121	Jason Page	Grand Prairie, TX	1772
121	Phong Huynh	Grand Prairie, TX	1772
125	Oai Tran	Temple City, CA	1771
125	Chad Edwards	Spokane, WA	1771
125	Peter Radonjic	New Westminster, Canada	1771
125	Terry Lou	Richmond, Canada	1771
129	Biren Amin	Laurel, MD	1770
130	Paul Scott	Hodoken, NJ	1769
130	Steve Horowitz	Miami, FL	1769
130	Mark Hendrickson	Covina, CA	1769
133	Corey Lay	Downey, CA	1768
133	Marcus Angelin	Stockholm, Sweden	1768
135	Huei-Saint Shwe	Los Angeles, CA	1767
135	Brian Rife	Flint, MI	1767
135	Scot Martin	Arlington, TX	1767
135	James Newton Jenkins	Odenton, MD	1767
135	Jordan Webb	Gladstone, OR	1767
135	Derik Mortimer	Gladstone, OR	1767
135	Jack Xiong	Houston, TX	1767
135	David Carrin Jr	Jacksonville, FL	1767
143	Chris Berryman	La Canada, CA	1766
143	Chris Cade	San Jose, CA	1766
143	Brian Schneider	Lutherville, MD	1766
143	Shawn Davies	Ottawa, Canada	1766
143	Jason Lineberger	Riverside, CA	1766
143	Joe Brown	Sonville, MA	1766
149	John Basilone	Medina, OH	1764
149	Brett Quorn	Woodland, WA	1764
151	Marinko Pavic	Calgary, Canada	1763
152	Matt Place	Kansas City, MO	1762
152	Eric Thompson	Maple Valley, WA	1762
152	Darin Thomas	Thousand Oaks, CA	1762
155	Peter Gianakopoulos	Wood Dale, IL	1761
155	Michael Bregoli	Southwick, MA	1761
155	Caroline Liu	Los Angeles, CA	1761
155	Andrew Sutherland	Concord, MA	1761
155	Pete Guevin	Nashua, NH	1761
160	Bill Macey	Arlington Heights, IL	1760
162	Cory Hudson-Jones	Capo Beach, CA	1759
162	Brook Kennon	Norcross, GA	1759
162	Tobey Tamber	Mercer, PA	1759
165	Truc Bui	Los Angeles, CA	1758
166	James Ferguson Jr	Huntsville, AL	1757
167	Joel Unger	Santa Barbara, CA	1756
167	Christopher Gross	Crofton, MD	1756
167	Eric Nakayama	San Diego, CA	1756
167	Scott McCord	Goleta, CA	1756
167	Derek Rank	Centerville, VA	1756
167	Maxwell Suver	Seattle, WA	1756
167	Brian Hacker	San Diego, CA	1756
167	Robert Grimmett	Emporia, KS	1756
167	Thomas Page	Los Angeles, CA	1756
176	David Press	Wichita, KS	1755
176	Solomon Malka	Atlanta, GA	1755
176	Jimmy Gray	San Jose, CA	1755
176	Lauri Sipi	Helsinki, Finland	1755
176	Robert Swarowski	Las Vegas, NV	1755
181	Paul Ferker	Huntingdon Valley, PA	1754
181	Louis Beryl	Palm Beach Gardens, FL	1754
181	Larry McBride	Temecula, CA	1754
181	Pedram Saif	Lake Forest, CA	1754
181	Rafael Lirag	Diliman, Philippines	1754
186	Greg Mooley	Southgate, MI	1753
186	Martin Jordö	Mölnlycke, Sweden	1753
188	John Grieggs	Fullerton, CA	1752
188	Mike Concepcion	Rockville, MD	1752
188	Allan Shuldiner	Torrance, CA	1752
188	Jeremiah Tollman	Denver, CO	1752
188	Paul Feldman	New York, NY	1752
193	Bryce Currence	Claremont, CA	1751
193	Brady Jess Feliz	Los Angeles, CA	1751
193	Joe Saadeh	Houston, TX	1751
196	Matthew Kursar	Rancho Palos Verdes, CA	1750
196	Ben Bleiweiss	New Orleans, LA	1750
196	Mike Bartholomew	Healdsburg, CA	1750
199	Andrew Wills	Az, MI	1749
199	Teresa Perrin	Glendale, CA	1749
199	Ethan Ubell	New York, NY	1749
202	Paul Pantera	Mountain View, CA	1748
202	Greg Waldeck	Wichita, KS	1748
202	David Doust	Miami, FL	1748
202	Nate Clarke	Londonderry, NH	1748
202	Ben Murray	Oberlin, OH	1748
202	Aaron Cummings	Plattsburgh, NY	1748
202	Ben Hart	Belmont, CA	1748
202	Samuel Luton	San Jose, CA	1748
202	Greg Dehollan	Waltham, MA	1748
211	Jerry Ogburn	Wichita, KS	1747
211	Brian Kibler	Hampstead, NH	1747
211	Ray Karkman	Stow, MA	1747
211	Jason Simonsen	Saint Charles, IL	1747
211	Ray Moore	Fulton, NY	1747
211	James McCoy	South Bend, IN	1747
217	Rafael Taranona	Miami, FL	1746
218	Lonnie Meador	Abilene , TX	1745
218	Charles Ramirez	Whittier, CA	1745
218	Jim Allen	Andover, MA	1745
218	Matthew Wang	New York, NY	1745
218	Uwe Stroinski	Bath, England	1745
218	Brennan Showers	Palmdale, CA	1745
224	David Ondzes	Merrimack, NH	1744
224	Bin Chen	Duluth, GA	1744
224	Alex Shvartsman	Brooklyn, NY	1744
224	Joseph Phelps	Mt. Washington, KY	1744
228	Justin Schroeder	Ft. Collins, CO	1743
228	Femming Chan	Cranbury, NJ	1743
228	Steve Kissinger	Naples, FL	1743
228	Ron Davis	New Kensington, PA	1743
232	Brandon Rutter	Lockport, IL	1742
232	Dan Hörning	Stockholm, Sweden	1742
232	Tapani Utriainen	Göteborg, Sweden	1742
235	Dennis Lee Nichols	Omaha, NE	1741
235	Graham Tatomer	Santa Barbara, CA	1741
235	Robert Bede	Calgary, Canada	1741
235	Andrew Pacifico	Middleburg, FL	1741
239	Todd Miller	Santa Barbara, CA	1740
239	Josiah Planque	Portland, OR	1740
239	David Parker	Rochester, NY	1740
242	Paul Rednour	Derby, KS	1739
242	Brendon Herzog	Portland, OR	1739
242	Patrick Albro	Rochester, NY	1739
242	Matt Perez	Redmond, WA	1739
242	Marcus Lagerstrom-Holm	Sundbyberg, Sweden	1739
247	Michael Wolfensberger	Funkstown, MD	1738
247	Jeremy Genrich	Omaha, NE	1738
247	Cary Newburger	New York, NY	1738
247	Sean O'Connor	Eugene, OR	1738
247	Jeremy Baca	Richardson, TX	1738
247	Yan Zhang	Manlius, NY	1738
247	Dan Debiase	Sayreville, NJ	1738

TOP 250 LIMITED (SEALED DECK)

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(RANKINGS AS OF SEPTEMBER 30,1996)

rank*	player*	city,state*	rating*
1	Mark Justice	West Valley City, UT	1916
2	John Yoo	Buena Park, CA	1878
3	Matthew Vienneau	Toronto, Canada	1848
4	Cary Newburger	New York, NY	1845
5	Truc Bui	Los Angeles, CA	1841
6	Byron Bailey	Lynnwood, WA	1833
7	Scott Johns	Northridge, CA	1829
8	Mark Chalice	Claremont, CA	1821
9	Adam Maysonet	Sunrise, FL	1820
10	Dan Lofgren	Milpitas, CA	1819
11	Brendon Herzog	Portland, OR	1817
12	Jon Finkel	Fanwood, NJ	1816
13	Mark LePine	Merrimack, NH	1813
14	Daniel O'Mahoney-Schwartz	Brooklyn, NY	1812
15	Aaron Muranaka	Layton, UT	1810
16	Steven O'Mahoney-Schwartz	Brooklyn, NY	1803
16	Jason Zila	Huntington Beach, CA	1803
18	Paul McCabe	Toronto, Canada	1802
19	Darwin Kastle	Boston, MA	1799
20	Gabriel Alonso	Mount Laurel, NJ	1797
21	Bryce Currence	Claremont, CA	1796
22	David Humpherys	Somerville, MA	1795
23	Bruce Swiney	Tacoma, WA	1793
23	Brad Swan	Landenberg , PA	1793
25	Jay Luo	Dunwoody, GA	1790
25	Robert Mumford	Lakewood, CO	1790
27	Terry Borer	North York, NY	1787
28	Peter Murray	Lewiston, ME	1786
29	Joshua Lieberman	New York, NY	1785
30	Justin Schroeder	Ft. Collins , CO	1783
31	Steven Parks	East Lansing, MI	1782
31	Donald L. Schreiber	Holly, MI	1782
33	Tom Guevin	Nashua, NH	1781
33	Ernest Alexander	Isla Vista, CA	1781
33	Christopher Kelley	Waterford, MI	1781
36	Michael Montonye	Wichita, KS	1780
36	Craig Mackey	Kirkland, WA	1780
38	Christopher Little	Fenton, MI	1779
39	Mike Dove	Rolla, MO	1778
39	Justin Schneider	Lutherville, MD	1778
39	Michael Katz	Rochester , NY	1778
42	Yan Zhang	Manlius, NY	1777
43	Gabe Higa	Lancaster, CA	1773
43	Frank Adler	Koeln, Germany	1773
43	Michael Lewis	Urbana, IL	1773
46	Flex Frazee	Seattle, WA	1770
46	Michael Debard	Paris, France	1770
48	David Bartholow	Ithaca, NY	1768
48	Steven Cowley	Penfield, NY	1768
50	Bryan McKinty	Sudbury, Canada	1767
51	Dominic K. Crapuchettes	Annapolis, MD	1766
52	Scott M. Klabacha	Chicago, IL	1765
53	Leroy Troxel	Golden, CO	1762
53	Jeffrey Curry	Kent, WA	1762
55	Shawn "Hammer" Regnier	Manchester, NH	1759
55	Ben Bleiweiss	New Orleans, LA	1759
57	Michael Long	Centreville, VA	1758
58	Frank Gilson	Anaheim, CA	1757
58	Alex McConnell	Tallahassee, FL	1757
60	Mario Robaina	Manhattan Beach, CA	1755
60	Joseph Cain	Mt. Laurel, NJ	1755
62	Sean Fleischman	Bronx, NY	1754
62	Ian Jackson	Wichita, KS	1754
64	Matt Place	Kansas City, MO	1753
65	Vaughn Sandor	Woodbridge, NJ	1752
66	Eric Wenokor	Brooklyn, NY	1751
67	Aaron Terry	Plantation, FL	1750
67	Nate Clarke	Londonderry, NH	1750
67	Heath Kennel	Arvada, CO	1750
70	Scott Lewis	West Branch, IA	1749
70	Ryan Scobey	Swartz Creek, MI	1749
72	Jason Lum	Honolulu, HI	1747
72	David Bachmann	Linden, NJ	1747
72	John Arendt	Boulder, CO	1747
75	Brian Hacker	San Diego, CA	1746
75	Chad Hastaba	Middle Village, NY	1746
75	Toshiki Tsukamoto	Toshima-Ku, Japan	1746
78	George Baxter	Dallas, TX	1745
78	Louis Beryl	Palm Beach Gardens, FL	1745
78	Neil Crane	New York, NY	1745
78	Jason Webster	Fargo, MN	1745
82	Rick Vasquez	Atlanta, GA	1744
82	Dave Lyon	West Des Moines, IA	1744
84	Jerry Ogburn	Wichita, KS	1743
84	Ariel Sas	Sherman Oaks, CA	1743
84	Andrew Wills	Az, MI	1743
87	Robert Dougherty	Somerville, MA	1742
87	Mathew Wang	New York, NY	1742
87	Cory Jensen	Omaha, NE	1742
87	Brad Shugg	Brooklyn, MI	1742
91	MacKenzie Patterson III	Carmel, Ca	1741
91	Mark Venhaus	Hawthorne, CA	1741
91	Matt Hyra	Seattle, WA	1741
91	Edward Gibbs	Henderson, NV	1741
95	Seth Burn	New York City, NY	1740
96	Steve Jones	New York, NY	1739
96	Nathan Russell	Ottawa, Canada	1739
98	Henry Johnson	San Luis Obispo, CA	1738
99	Jean-Francois Insi	Paris, France	1737
100	Danny Broyles	Lubbock, TX	1736
100	Dave Lively	Northboro, MA	1736
102	Jim Hustad	Madison, WI	1735
102	Matt Kimbrel	Wichita, KS	1735
102	Riad Mourssulli	Phoenix, AZ	1735
102	Jakub Slemr	Praha, Czech Republic	1735
106	Brian Chew	Mountain View, CA	1734
106	Adam Lemke	–	1734
108	Edward Fox	Wichita, KS	1733
108	Scott Reinfield	Boynton Beach, FL	1733
108	Chedy Hampson	Syracuse, NY	1733
108	Aaron Souders	Elburn, IL	1733
108	Daniel Connelly	Latham, NY	1733
113	Asa Kariel	Honolulu, HI	1731
113	Stephen Durtschi	Kaysville, UT	1731
113	David Dittmer	Acton, MA	1731
113	Paul Wilkens	Tallahassee, FL	1731
117	Derrick Smith	Berkeley, CA	1730
118	Scott Hunstad	Wheaton, IL	1729
118	Cory Hudson-Jones	Capo Beach, CA	1729
118	Darrell Gibson	Poway, CA	1729
118	Ronny Serro	Streamwood, IL	1729
122	Josh Bradford	Tallahassee, FL	1728
123	Javier Garavito	Kent, WA	1727
124	Robert Melville	Chippawa Falls, WI	1726
124	Kyle Bigos	Tallahassee, FL	1726
124	Aziz Al-Doory	Tallahassee, FL	1726
124	Tim Danzinger	Bartlesville, OK	1726
124	Dan Hörning	Stockholm, Sweden	1726
124	Michael Callahan	West Jordan, UT	1726
130	Stephane Bolduc	Verdun, Canada	1725
130	Greg Hunt	Ithaca, NY	1725
130	Steven Pilgrim	Naperville, IL	1725
130	Rick Carlisle	Parker, CO	1725
130	Aaron Cummings	Plattsburgh, NY	1725
135	Tim Dibartolo	Blackwood, NJ	1724
135	Jeremiah Tollman	Denver, CO	1724
135	Mike May	New York, NY	1724
135	No Yong Park	Toronto, Canada	1724
139	Eric Warren	East Falmouth, MA	1723
139	Adrian Dandrea	Elmira, NY	1723
139	Eric Thompson	Maple Valley, WA	1723
139	Michael Beal	Auburn, WA	1723
139	Ben Yerushalmi	–	1723
144	Sean Motel	Monticello, IN	1722
144	Steve Earth	Seattle, WA	1722
144	Steven Gruenwald	Dixon, IL	1722
144	Steve Farkas	Elizabeth, NJ	1722
148	Frederik Foure	Devon, PA	1721
148	Richard Q. Davis	Orem, UT	1721
148	Bruce Poehlman	Woodland Hills, CA	1721
148	Heath Jennings	Thousand Oaks, CA	1721
148	Jeff Hagaman	Rockford, IL	1721
148	Michael Aykens	Puyallup, WA	1721
148	Scott Prince	Burton, MI	1721
155	Taethrum Bluett	–	1720
155	Jonathan Kruger	Kent, WA	1720
155	Francois Fressin	Marcq En Baroeul, France	1720
158	Biren Amin	Laurel, MD	1719
158	Brian Wilson	Redmond, WA	1719
158	Darrell Wyatt	Madison, WI	1719
161	David Price	Ithaca, NY	1748
161	Bob Dove	Bridgeton, MO	1718
163	Patrick Warren	Seneca, SC	1717
163	Alan Comer	San Marcos, CA	1717
163	Chris Raney	San Diego, CA	1717
163	Preston Poulter	Irvine, CA	1717
163	Rogelio Espinosa	Encinitas, CA	1717
163	Jack Lewis Stanton	Idaho Falls, ID	1717
169	Vincent Scherrer	Fort Collins, CO	1716
169	Ryan Fuller	Burnaby, Canada	1716
171	Peter Brost	Bellevue, WA	1715
171	Bill Bathurst	Seattle, WA	1715
171	Kevin Fisher	New West, Canada	1715
174	John Chinnock	Summit, NJ	1714
174	Samuel Pumpelly	Portland, OR	1714
174	Chris McMahon	Fremont, NE	1714
177	Jim Lemire	Southboro, MA	1713
177	Brian Fenwick	Ft. Collins, CO	1713
179	Sean Chen	Berkeley, CA	1712
179	Joe Weber	Oswego, NY	1712
179	Chris Cade	San Jose, CA	1712
179	Jamey Billig	Santa Barbara, CA	1712
179	Bruce Cowley	Rochester, NY	1712
184	Rupert Hildago	Miami, FL	1711
184	Jan Maurten Cobben	Groningen, Holland	1711
184	Hashim Bello	Jamaica, NY	1711
184	Tommi Hovi	Kaarina, Finland	1711
184	Michael Lucarello	North Brunswick, NJ	1711
189	Dave Lawson	Kennenick, WA	1710
189	George Wilkinson	Manchester, NH	1710
189	Max Szlagor	Schaumberg, IL	1710
189	Brad Reid	Renton, WA	1710
189	Mike Croft	Milten, Canada	1710
194	Richard Feit	Aurora, CO	1709
194	Noah Weil	St. Paul , MN	1709
194	Femming Chan	Cranbury, NJ	1709
194	Joe Green	Sterling, IL	1709
198	Eric Kirkman	Denver, CO	1708
198	Van Russell	Hazel Green, AL	1708
198	Mike Granovsky	Aurora, CO	1708
198	Michael Elkaim	New York, NY	1708
198	Daniel Redys	Winder, GA	1708
203	Peter Leiher	Largo, FL	1707
203	Tomas Larsson	Stockholm, Sweden	1707
203	Eric Phillips	Lincroft, NJ	1707
203	Sam Lewis	Plymouth, MN	1707
207	Patrick Doud	Oswego, NY	1706
207	John Immordino	Carmichael, CA	1706
207	Gere Camper	Wichita, KS	1706
207	Jimmy Wong	Vancouver, Canada	1706
207	Shawn Davies	Ottawa, Canada	1706
207	Jim Dowell	Wichita, KS	1706
213	Eric Harrison	Huntsville, AL	1705
213	David Leader	Atlanta, GA	1705
213	Pierre Alain Laur	Prades Le Lez, France	1705
216	Dennis Lee Nichols	Omaha, NE	1704
216	Rudy Edwards	Fayetteville , NC	1704
216	Randy Ellis	Tallahassee, FL	1704
216	Andrew Nishioka	Morton Grove, IL	1704
220	Mark Globus	Columbus , OH	1703
220	Collin Hayes	Plantation, FL	1703
220	Jay Rosenberg	Plantation, FL	1703
220	Patrick Allen	Orland Park , IL	1703
220	Robert Hahn	New York, NY	1703
225	Andrew Polis	Chicago, IL	1702
225	Brian Smith	Sunnyvale, CA	1702
225	Eric Tam	Toronto, Canada	1702
225	Gabriele Pisicchio	Rome, Italy	1702
225	Pat Cuartero	Sicklerville, NJ	1702
225	John S. Kenny	Mentor, OH	1702
231	Adam Joshua Katz	New York, NY	1701
231	Nazario Ruelan	Williamstown, NJ	1701
231	Tony Tsai	Ithaca, NY	1701
231	Marshall McKalips	Elmendorf Afb, AK	1701
231	Gerry Lewandowski	Everett, WA	1701
231	Christopher Peters	Taylorville, IL	1701
237	Greg Waldeck	Wichita, KS	1700
237	Jeff Sternal	Chicago, IL	1700
237	Joshua Buergel	Edmonds, WA	1700
237	Randy Buehler	Falcon Heights, MN	1700
237	Zvi Mowshowitz	New York, NY	1700
242	Peter Costantinidis	Oakland, CA	1699
242	Kristopher Lohman	Kaneohe, HI	1699
242	Berkeley Otvos	Wheat Ridge, CO	1699
242	Ralph Anderson	New York, NY	1699
242	Christopher Donahoe	Duluth, GA	1699
242	Brendon Delaney	Seattle, WA	1699
242	Desmund Siu	Kaneohe, HI	1699
242	J J Heldman	Denver, CO	1699
242	David Hansen	Cheyenne, WY	1699
242	Amy Zillmer	Eau Claire, WI	1699

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TOURNEY	LOCATION	DATE	COORD'R	PHONE
The Jester's Court Type I	11841 N 19th Avenue Phoenix, AZ	11/12/96	Billy Williams	(602) 943-8038
Masoleum Weekly	2104 W Cumberland Ave Knoxville, TN	11/12/96	Angela Hitson	(423) 977-9153
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/13/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Mid-Week Tournament	6393 9th St. N. St. Petersburg, FL	11/13/96	Susan Correa	(813) 526-7494
Artifex Weekly Tourn-Type 1.5	11658 Carmel Mtn Rd San Diego, CA	11/14/96	James Parenti	(619) 487-0589
Weekly Tournaments	US 70 East Drexel, NC	11/14/96	Joe Williams	(704) 433-7521
Angie's Weekly Thursday	3822 Sutherland Ave Knoxville, TN	11/14/96	Angela Hitson	(423) 977-9153
Type I Tournament	5305 Ehrlich Road #12 Tampa, FL	11/15/96	Jeffrey Butler	(813) 969-3716
Daddy Jim's Weekly Tournament	1677 Westchester Dr High Point, NC	11/15/96	Robert Hall	(910) 889-9900
Tales Twice Told Bi Monthly	546 Westcott Street Syracuse, NY	11/15/96	Tim Nortz	(315) 475-5925
Type I Tournament	Phantasmagorium Mountain Home, AR	11/16/96	Jeff Powell	(501) 425-1436
Reckoning Of Champions IV	70 N East Avenue Fayetteville, AR	11/16/96	John Hopping	(501) 444-0707
A Place To Play Type 1.5 Tourn	2061 Lincoln Ave San Jose, CA	11/16/96	Dan Ostler	(408) 448-2658
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	11/16/96	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
Type I Tournament	3335 Balmoral Dr Sacramento, CA	11/16/96	Chris Masson	(915) 488-4263
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/16/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Cross-Over 17	Western Illinois University Macomb, IL	11/16/96	John Jack Medley	(309) 837-7300
Cacophony Of Cards - Type I	SIUC Student Center Carbondale, IL	11/16/96	Joel Nadler	(618) 529-4630
Hansen's $1,000-Type I	7655 W. Dempster Chicago, IL	11/16/96	Todd Hansen	(847) 453-1994
The Pack Shack Type 1.5	13697 Eureka - Southgate, MI	11/16/96	Jeneen Kilgore	(313) 284-0550
Type I	BDC Bike, Sports & Game Cards Shelby Twp, MI	11/16/96	James Babin, Sr	(810) 997-6994
Book Nook Sanctioned Type I	203 Washington Ave West Plains, MO	11/16/96	Robbie Beane	(417) 257-7807
SCGA Thursday Night Fights	Mississippi St Student Union Mississippi State, MS	11/16/96	April Edwards	N/A
Type 1.5 Tournament	4898 Hwy 421 E Boone, NC	11/16/96	Jubal Danner	(704) 264-0827
	HobbyTown U.S.A. (Thom Walla) Lincoln, NE	11/16/96	Mary Hayes	(402) 441-0604
	Bennet, NE	11/16/96	Mary Hayes	(402) 782-8040
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	11/16/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Chattanooga American-Type I	6787 Lee Hwy Chattanooga, TN	11/16/96	Ron McClure	(423) 490-0501
Mike's Arena - Type I	1325 Timbergrove Drive Knoxville, TN	11/16/96	Michael McSurley	(423) 531-1959
California Gold - Type I	1348 W Washington Stevenville, TX	11/16/96	Lawrence Outlaw	(800) 387-6175
A year ago, we banned the Chan	Lubbock, TX	11/16/96	The Mad Hatter	(806) 763-4054
Games Galore - Type I	805 W Park Row Arlington, TX	11/16/96	Bill Forsha	(817) 461-4263
Type I Tournament	Wizards Of The Desert Moab, UT	11/16/96	Lx Skye	(801) 259-2361
Pendragon Weekly - Type I	122 N Main St Barre, VT	11/16/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
Type I Tournament	3rd Floor Thompson Stu. Cntr. Fostrap, NF	11/17/96	Jason Strong	(709) 834-4964
Slam Fest	6325 1/2 Laurel Canyon Blvd North Hollywood, CA	11/17/96	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/17/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Comic Warehouse-Naples Tourn	1029 Airport Road North Naples, FL	11/17/96	Bob Kobzina	(941) 643-1020
Dragon's Dream	Dragon's Dream Comics - Rome, GA	11/17/96	Dale Manning	(706) 234-7159
Pandoras Box - Type I	8507 Baltimore Ave College Park, MD	11/17/96	Biren Amin	(301) 474-4931
Pandoras Box - Type 1.5	8507 Baltimore Ave College Park, MD	11/17/96	Biren Amin	(301) 474-4931
Gathering Ground - Type 1.5	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	11/17/96	Ron Powell	(314) 629-2500
The Gathering	45 Courtyard Pavillion, The MA Lebanon, NH	11/17/96	Chris Cooke	(603) 448-0130
Reality Recess-Amherst	2268 Kresge Dr Amherst, OH	11/17/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
	Comic Town 4 Columbus, OH	11/17/96	Geoffrey Hatten	(614) 262-5806
Nova Type I Tournament	3629 Plank Rd Fredricksburg, VA	11/17/96	James Farr	(540) 786-2863
The Gaming Realm - Martinsburg	1161-T Winchester Ave Martinsburgh, WV	11/17/96	Tony Ordona	(304) 267-4662
The Masoleum Weekly	1911 Cumberland Ave Knoxville, TN	11/18/96	David Adkins	(423) 977-9153
The Jester's Court Type I	11841 N 19th Avenue Phoenix, AZ	11/19/96	Billy Williams	(602) 943-8038
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/20/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Masoleum Weekly	1702 Cumberland Ave Louisville , TN	11/20/96	David Adkins	(423) 977-9153
Artifex Weekly Tourn-Type 1.5	11658 Carmel Mtn Rd San Diego, CA	11/21/96	James Parenti	(619) 487-0589
Weekly Tournaments	US 78 East Drexel, NC	11/21/96	Joe Williams	(704) 433-7521
SAGA	Sussex, NB	11/22/96	Timothy Smith	(506) 433-6406
High Desert Tournament	2311 E Ave South Palmdale, CA	11/22/96	Allen Lulu	(805) 273-0185
Foxfire '96	Cessna Activity Center Wichita, KS	11/22/96	Edward Fox	(316) 522-5331
Foxfire '96 Type 1.5	817 W 34th Street South - Wichita, KS	11/22/96	Edward Fox	(316) 522-5331
Garden State Games Faire	Holiday Inn-Center Point Cranbury, NJ	11/22/96	Andrew Dawson	(610) 367-4857
East Ont Points Master Tour 3	Unavailable, ON	11/23/96	Ken Campbell	Unavailable
The "Arch-Mage" Tournament	Cegep De Rimouski , QUE	11/23/96	Luc D'Anjou	(418) 721-3669
A Place To Play Type 1.5 Tourn	2061 Lincoln Ave San Jose, CA	11/23/96	Dan Ostler	(408) 267-6227
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	11/23/96	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/23/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
	11585 Jones Bridge Rd Alpharetta, GA	11/23/96	Jim Kapper	(770) 569-2083
Foxfire '96	817 W 34th Street South - Wichita, KS	11/23/96	Edward Fox	(316) 522-5331
Wrestle-Magica	92 King Street North Hampton, MA	11/23/96	Chris Aylott	(413) 584-0994
Type I	BDC Bike, Sports & Game Cards Shelby Twp, MI	11/23/96	James Babin, Sr	(810) 997-6994
	Superhero City Sicklerville, NJ	11/23/96	Frank Cataldi	(609) 629-0722
Pastimes - Type 1.5	Pastimes Sportscards & Comics Wilmette, OH	11/23/96	Alan Hochman	(847) 251-9004
Pittsburg Comicon	Monroeville, PA	11/23/96	Michael George	Unavailable
Mike's Arena - Type I	1325 Timbergrove Drive Knoxville, TN	11/23/96	Michael McSurley	(423) 531-1959
Type I Tournament	Wizards Of The Desert Moab, UT	11/23/96	Lx Skye	(801) 259-2361
Pendragon Weekly - Type I	122 N Main St Barre, VT	11/23/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
Type I Tournament	3rd Floor Thompson Stu. Cntr. Fostrap, NF	11/24/96	Jason Strong	(709) 834-4964
The "Arch-Mage" Tournament	Cegep De Rimouski , QUE	11/24/96	Luc D'Anjou	(418) 721-3669
	453 Stony Point Rd Santa Rosa, CA	11/24/96	Andrew Cosman	(707) 575-5797
Slam Fest	6325 1/2 Laurel Canyon Blvd North Hollywood, CA	11/24/96	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/24/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
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Foxfire '96 Type 1.5	817 W 34th Street South - Wichita, KS	11/24/96	Edward Fox	(316) 522-5331
Gathering Ground - Type 1.5	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	11/24/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
The Gathering	45 Courtyard Pavillion, The MA Lebanon, NH	11/24/96	Chris Cooke	(603) 448-0130
Uncanny Comics - Type I	1934 Delmar Dr Folcroft, PA	11/24/96	James Connolly	(610) 532-5775
Mighty Mick's Type I	2404 West End Ave Nashville, TN	11/24/96	Nicky Bessone	(615) 320-7000
The Gaming Realm - Martinsburg	1161-T Winchester Ave Martinsburgh, WV	11/24/96	Tony Ordona	(304) 267-4662
The Masoleum Weekly	1911 Cumberland Ave Knoxville, TN	11/25/96	David Adkins	(423) 977-9153
The Jester's Court Type I	11841 N 19th Avenue Phoenix, AZ	11/26/96	Billy Williams	(602) 943-8038
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/27/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Artifex Weekly Tourn-Type 1.5	11658 Carmel Mtn Rd San Diego, CA	11/28/96	James Parenti	(619) 487-0589
Weekly Tournaments	US 70 East Drexel, NC	11/28/96	Joe Williams	(704) 433-7521
SyndiCon '96 - Type I	Rt 20 Portage, IN	11/29/96	Carl Cabanas	(219) 763-4802
Daddy Jim's Weekly Tournament	1677 Westchester Dr High Point, NC	11/29/96	Robert Hall	(910) 889-9900
Tales Twice Told Bi Monthly	546 Westcott Street Syracuse, NY	11/29/96	Tim Nortz	(315) 475-5925
M Quest Presents Type I Tourn	353 Sherbourne St. Toronto, ON	11/30/96	Marvin Paguingan	(905) 524-5725
Wizard's Challenge Games Night	Odd Fellows Hall Regina, SK	11/30/96	Greg Roch	(306) 747-8544
A Place To Play Type 1.5 Tourn	2061 Lincoln Ave San Jose, CA	11/30/96	Dan Ostler	(408) 448-2658
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	11/30/96	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/30/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Type I Tournament	173 East Main St Newark, DE	11/30/96	John Corradin	(302) 366-0963
Castle Con	9100 E Kellogg , KS	11/30/96	Robert Rutherford	(316) 265-3848
The Pack Shack Type I	13697 Eureka - Southgate, MI	11/30/96	Jeneen Kilgore	(313) 284-0550
Type I	BDC Bike, Sports & Game Cards Shelby Twp, MI	11/30/96	James Babin, Sr	(810) 997-6994
S Carolina State Championship	Big Ron's Card Connection Columbia, SC	11/30/96	J B Cantey	(803) 452-0210
Mike's Arena - Type I	1325 Timbergrove Drive Knoxville, TN	11/30/96	Michael McSurley	(423) 531-1959
Type I Tournament	Wizards Of The Desert Moab, UT	11/30/96	Lx Skye	(801) 259-2361
Pendragon Weekly - Type I	122 N Main St Barre, VT	11/30/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/1/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Dragon's Dream	Dragon's Dream Comics - Rome, GA	12/1/96	Dale Manning	(706) 234-7159
Castle Con	9100 E Kellogg , KS	12/1/96	Robert Rutherford	(316) 265-3848
The Gathering	45 Courtyard Pavillion, The MA Lebanon, NH	12/1/96	Chris Cooke	(603) 448-0130
SandCon Dec '96 - Type I	Orioles Club Sandusky, OH	12/1/96	David Baum	(419) 433-6303
SandCon Dec '96 - Type 1.5	Orioles Club Sandusky, OH	12/1/96	David Baum	(419) 433-6303
Type I	The Masoleum Knoxville, TN	12/1/96	Angela Hitson	(423) 977-9153
Mighty Mick's Type I	2404 West End Ave Nashville, TN	12/1/96	Nicky Bessone	(615) 320-7000
The Gaming Realm - Martinsburg	1161-T Winchester Ave Martinsburgh, WV	12/1/96	Tony Ordona	(304) 267-4662
Borderland's - Type I	267 Commercial S Salem, OR	12/2/96	Nate Jones	(503) 399-3597
The Jester's Court Type I	11841 N 19th Avenue Phoenix, AZ	12/3/96	Billy Williams	(602) 943-8038
Masoleum Weekly	2104 W Cumberland Ave Knoxville, TN	12/3/96	David Adkins	(423) 977-9153
Shrewsbury	WotC Renton, WA	12/3/96	Heather Hennicks	(206) 204-7252
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/4/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Masoleum Weekly	1702 Cumberland Ave Louisville , TN	12/4/96	David Adkins	(423) 977-9153
Artifex Weekly Tourn-Type 1.5	11658 Carmel Mtn Rd San Diego, CA	12/5/96	James Parenti	(619) 487-0589
Weekly Tournaments	US 70 East Drexel, NC	12/5/96	Joe Williams	(704) 433-7521
A Place To Play Type 1.5 Tourn	2061 Lincoln Ave San Jose, CA	12/7/96	Dan Ostler	(408) 448-2658
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	12/7/96	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
Type I Tournament	555 Benson Valano, CA	12/7/96	John Paxa	(909) 621-3459
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/7/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
	11585 Jones Bridge Rd Alpharetta, GA	12/7/96	Jim Kapper	(770) 569-2083
The Pack Shack Type I.5	13697 Eureka - Southgate, MI	12/7/96	Jeneen Kilgore	(313) 284-0550
Type I	BDC Bike, Sports & Game Cards Shelby Twp, MI	12/7/96	James Babin, Sr	(810) 997-6994
	Superhero City Sicklerville, NJ	12/7/96	Frank Cataldi	(609) 629-0722
Mike's Arena - Type I	1325 Timbergrove Drive Knoxville, TN	12/7/96	Michael McSurley	(423) 531-1959

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Masoleum Weekly	2260 Gunbarrel Rd Chattanooga, TN	12/7/96	David Adkins	(423) 977-9153
Mighty Mick's Type 1.5	2404 West End Ave Nashville, TN	12/7/96	Micky Bessone	(615) 320-7000
A Chaos Orb for Chanukah!	Lubbock, TX	12/7/96	The Mad Hatter	(806) 763-4054
Type I Tournament	Wizards Of The Desert Moab, UT	12/7/96	Lx Skye	(801) 259-2361
Pendragon Weekly - Type I	122 N Main St Barre, VT	12/7/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
Type I Tournament	24 S Main St Oconomowoc, WI	12/7/96	Kelly Henrickson	(414) 569-6165
Type I Tournament	605 Fond Du Lac Ave Fond Du Lac, WI	12/7/96	Robert Moses	(414) 922-8338
Type I Tournament	3rd Floor Thompson Student Cen St John's, NF	12/8/96	David Furey	(709) 722-8945
Slam Fest	6325 1/2 Laurel Canyon Blvd North Hollywood, CA	12/8/96	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
AgiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/8/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Gathering Ground - Type 1.5	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	12/8/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
The Gathering	45 Courtyard Pavillion, The MA Lebanon, NH	12/8/96	Chris Cooke	(603) 448-0130
Heroes & Dragons - Type I	1563 B Broad River Road Columbia, SC	12/8/96	Harold Snipes	(803) 731-4376
Knoxville American - Type I	1705 Cumberland Ave Knoxville, TN	12/8/96	Ron McClure	(423) 521-9000
Mega City - Type 1.5	6800 Huebner Rd San Antonio, TX	12/8/96	Jonathan Vandermeer	(210) 614-0913
	2117 52nd Street Kenosha, WI	12/8/96	Doug & Jean Chadwick	(414) 658-4269
The Gaming Realm - Martinsburg	1161-T Winchester Ave Martinsburgh, WV	12/8/96	Tony Ordona	(304) 267-4662
The Masoleum Weekly	1911 Cumberland Ave Knoxville, TN	12/8/96	David Adkins	(423) 977-9153
The Jester's Court Type I	11841 N 19th Avenue Phoenix, AZ	12/10/96	Billy Williams	(602) 943-8038
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/11/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Artifex Weekly Tourn-Type 1.5	11658 Carmel Mtn Rd San Diego, CA	12/12/96	James Parenti	(619) 487-0589
Weekly Tournaments	US 70 East Drexel, NC	12/12/96	Joe Williams	(704) 433-7521
Angie's Thursday Weekly	3822 Sutherland Ave Knoxville, TN	12/12/96	Angela Hitson	(423) 977-9153
Tales Twice Told Bi Monthly	546 Westcott Street Syracuse, NY	12/13/96	Tim Nortz	(315) 475-5925
A Place To Play Type 1.5 Tourn	2061 Lincoln Ave San Jose, CA	12/14/96	Dan Ostler	(408) 448-2658
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	12/14/96	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/14/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Type I Tournament	1214 S University Ann Arbor, MI	12/14/96	Swami Cross	(313) 663-6646
Type I	BDC Bike, Sports & Game Cards Shelby Twp, MI	12/14/96	James Babin, Sr	(810) 997-6994
Spellbinders Kent-Type I	257 S Water St Kent, OH	12/14/96	Paul Burdick	(330) 673-2230
Battle For Paradise	10961 E Admiral Place Tulsa, OK	12/14/96	James Pyeatt	(918) 838-7809
Chattanooga American-Type I	6787 Lee Hwy Chattanooga, TN	12/14/96	Ron McClure	(423) 490-0501
Mike's Arena - Type I	1325 Timbergrove Drive Knoxville, TN	12/14/96	Michael McSurley	(423) 531-1959
Gameafest Type I Tournament	2007 Strawberry Pasadena, TX	12/14/96	Champ Thompson	(713) 946-2328
Type I Tournament	Wizards Of The Desert Moab, UT	12/14/96	Lx Skye	(801) 259-2361
Pendragon Weekly - Type I	122 N Main St Barre, VT	12/14/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
Card Party: Team Challenge	University Center Building Stevens Point, WI	12/14/96	Bert Blaine	(715) 627-2526
	Sussex, NB	12/15/96	Timothy Smith	(506) 433-6406
Type I Tournament	3rd Floor Thompson Stu. Cntr. Fostrap, NF	12/15/96	Jason Strong	(709) 834-4964
Slam Fest	6325 1/2 Laurel Canyon Blvd North Hollywood, CA	12/15/96	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
Type I Tournament	555 Benson Valano, CA	12/15/96	John Paxa	(909) 621-3459
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/15/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Comic Warehouse-Ft Myers Tourn	710-11 Pondella Rd N Ft Meyers, FL	12/15/96	Bob Kobzina	(941) 656-0223
Dragon's Dream	Dragon's Dream Comics - Rome, GA	12/15/96	Dale Manning	(706) 234-7159
Hansen's VI $1,000-Type I	Hillside Holiday Inn Hillside, IL	12/15/96	Todd Hansen	(847) 853-1994
The Gathering	45 Courtyard Pavillion, The MA Lebanon, NH	12/15/96	Chris Cooke	(603) 448-0130
Reality Recess-Amherst	2268 Kresge Dr Amherst, OH	12/15/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Heroes & Dragons - Type I	1563 B Broad River Road Columbia, SC	12/15/96	Harold Snipes	(803) 731-4376
Mighty Mick's Type I	2404 West End Ave Nashville, TN	12/15/96	Micky Bessone	(615) 320-7000
Mega City - Type 1.5	6800 Huebner Rd San Antonio, TX	12/15/96	Jonathan Vandermeer	(210) 614-0913
The Gaming Realm - Martinsburg	1161-T Winchester Ave Martinsburgh, WV	12/15/96	Tony Ordona	(304) 267-4662
The Masoleum Weekly	1911 Cumberland Ave Knoxville, TN	12/16/96	David Adkins	(423) 977-9153
The Jester's Court Type I	11841 N 19th Avenue Phoenix, AZ	12/17/96	Billy Williams	(602) 943-8038
Spellbinders Akron-Type I	5 Merriman Rd Akron, OH	12/17/96	Paul Burdick	(330) 374-7735
Borderland's - Type 1.5	267 Commercial S Salem, OR	12/17/96	Nate Jones	(503) 399-3597
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/18/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Masoleum Weekly	1702 Cumberland Ave Louisville , TN	12/18/96	David Adkins	(423) 977-9153
Artifex Weekly Tourn-Type 1.5	11658 Carmel Mtn Rd San Diego, CA	12/19/96	James Parenti	(619) 487-0589
Weekly Tournaments	US 70 East Drexel, NC	12/19/96	Joe Williams	(704) 433-7521
A Place To Play Type 1.5 Tourn	2061 Lincoln Ave San Jose, CA	12/21/96	Dan Ostler	(408) 448-2658
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	12/21/96	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
Type I Tournament	3335 Balmoral Dr Sacramento, CA	12/21/96	Chris Masson	(915) 488-4263
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/21/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
The Pack Shack Type I	13697 Eureka - Southgate, MI	12/21/96	Jeneen Kilgore	(313) 284-0550
Type I	BDC Bike, Sports & Game Cards Shelby Twp, MI	12/21/96	James Babin, Sr	(810) 997-6994
Gathering Ground - Type 1.5	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	12/21/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
	Superhero City Sicklerville, NJ	12/21/96	Frank Cataldi	(609) 629-0722
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	12/21/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Pastimes - Type I	Pastimes Sportscards & Comics Wilmette, OH	12/21/96	Alan Hochman	(847) 251-9004
Saturday Type I Tournament	107 E Market St Kingsport, TN	12/21/96	Dewayne Chase	(423) 247-8997
Mike's Arena - Type I	1325 Timbergrove Drive Knoxville, TN	12/21/96	Michael McSurley	(423) 531-1959
Type I Tournament	Wizards Of The Desert Moab, UT	12/21/96	Lx Skye	(801) 259-2361
Pendragon Weekly - Type I	122 N Main St Barre, VT	12/21/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
Type I Tournament	3rd Floor Thompson Stu. Cntr. Fostrap, NF	12/22/96	Jason Strong	(709) 834-4964
You Con 15	5255 Cochran Simi Valley, CA	12/22/96	James S Parker	(805) 579-0313
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/22/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
The Gathering	45 Courtyard Pavillion, The MA Lebanon, NH	12/22/96	Chris Cooke	(603) 448-0130
Heroes & Dragons - Type I	1563 B Broad River Road Columbia, SC	12/22/96	Harold Snipes	(803) 731-4376
Mighty Mick's Type 1.5	2404 West End Ave Nashville, TN	12/22/96	Micky Bessone	(615) 320-7000
The Gaming Realm - Martinsburg	1161-T Winchester Ave Martinsburgh, WV	12/22/96	Tony Ordona	(304) 267-4662
The Masoleum Weekly	1911 Cumberland Ave Knoxville, TN	12/23/96	David Adkins	(423) 977-9153
The Jester's Court Type I	11841 N 19th Avenue Phoenix, AZ	12/24/96	Billy Williams	(602) 943-8038
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/25/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Artifex Weekly Tourn-Type 1.5	11658 Carmel Mtn Rd San Diego, CA	12/26/96	James Parenti	(619) 487-0589
Weekly Tournaments	US 70 East Drexel, NC	12/26/96	Joe Williams	(704) 433-7521
Angie's Thursday Weekly	3822 Sutherland Ave Knoxville, TN	12/26/96	Angela Hitson	(423) 977-9153
Tales Twice Told Bi Monthly	546 Westcott Street Syracuse, NY	12/27/96	Tim Nortz	(315) 475-5925
A Place To Play Type 1.5 Tourn	2061 Lincoln Ave San Jose, CA	12/28/96	Dan Ostler	(408) 448-2658
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	12/28/96	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
Type I Tournament	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/28/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Type I Tournament	173 East Main St Newark, DE	12/28/96	John Corradin	(302) 366-0963
The Pack Shack Type I.5	13697 Eureka - Southgate, MI	12/28/96	Jeneen Kilgore	(313) 284-0550
Mike's Arena - Type I	1325 Timbergrove Drive Knoxville, TN	12/28/96	Michael McSurley	(423) 531-1959
Masoleum Weekly	2260 Gunbarrel Rd Chattanooga, TN	12/28/96	David Adkins	(423) 977-9153
Mighty Mick's Type I	2404 West End Ave Nashville, TN	12/28/96	Micky Bessone	(615) 320-7000
Type I Tournament	Wizards Of The Desert Moab, UT	12/28/96	Lx Skye	(801) 259-2361
Pendragon Weekly - Type I	122 N Main St Barre, VT	12/28/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
	453 Stony Point Rd Santa Rosa, CA	12/29/96	Andrew Cosman	(707) 575-5797
Slam Fest	6325 1/2 Laurel Canyon Blvd North Hollywood, CA	12/29/96	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/29/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Dragon's Dream Weekly Tourney	Dragon's Dream Comics Rome, GA	12/29/96	Dale Manning	(706) 234-7159
Gathering Ground - Type 1.5	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	12/29/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
The Gathering	45 Courtyard Pavillion, The MA Lebanon, NH	12/29/96	Chris Cooke	(603) 448-0130
Heroes & Dragons - Type I	1563 B Broad River Road Columbia, SC	12/29/96	Harold Snipes	(803) 731-4376
The Gaming Realm - Martinsburg	1161-T Winchester Ave Martinsburgh, WV	12/29/96	Tony Ordona	(304) 267-4662
The Masoleum Weekly	1911 Cumberland Ave Knoxville, TN	12/30/96	David Adkins	(423) 977-9153
The Jester's Court Type I	11841 N 19th Avenue Phoenix, AZ	12/31/96	Billy Williams	(602) 943-8038
Daddy Jim's Weekly Tournament	1677 Westchester Dr High Point, NC	1/3/97	Robert Hall	(910) 889-9900
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	1/4/97	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
Type I Tournament	3120 45th Street Highland, IN	1/4/97	Cathy Bulsar	(219) 922-4855
Slam Fest	6325 1/2 Laurel Canyon Blvd North Hollywood, CA	1/5/97	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
The Gaming Realm - Martinsburg	1161-T Winchester Ave Martinsburgh, WV	1/5/97	Tony Ordona	(304) 267-4662
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	1/11/97	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
Type 1.5 Tournament	4898 Hwy 421 E Boone, NC	1/11/97	Jubal Danner	(704) 264-0827
Type I Tournament	3rd Floor Thompson Student Cen St John's, NF	1/12/97	David Furey	(709) 722-8945
Slam Fest	6325 1/2 Laurel Canyon Blvd North Hollywood, CA	1/12/97	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
Type I Tournament	555 Benson Valano, CA	1/12/97	John Paxa	(909) 621-3459
Dragon's Dream Weekly Tourney	Dragon's Dream Comics Rome, GA	1/12/97	Dale Manning	(706) 234-7159
The Gaming Realm - Martinsburg	1161-T Winchester Ave Martinsburgh, WV	1/12/97	Tony Ordona	(304) 267-4662
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	1/18/97	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	1/18/97	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Type I Tournament	3rd Floor Thompson Stu. Cntr. Fostrap, NF	1/19/97	Jason Strong	(709) 834-4964
Slamfest	6325 1/2 Laurel Canyon Blvd North Hollywood, CA	1/19/97	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
Reality Recess-Amherst	2268 Kresge Dr Amherst, OH	1/19/97	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
The Gaming Realm - Martinsburg	1161-T Winchester Ave Martinsburgh, WV	1/19/97	Tony Ordona	(304) 267-4662
Slamfest	6325 1/2 Laurel Canyon Blvd North Hollywood, CA	1/22/97	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
M Quest Presents Type I Tourn	353 Sherbourne St. Toronto, ON	1/25/97	Marvin Paguingan	(905) 524-5725
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	1/25/97	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
Type I Tournament	3rd Floor Thompson Stu. Cntr. Fostrap, NF	1/26/97	Jason Strong	(709) 834-4964
Type I Tournament	555 Benson Valano, CA	1/26/97	John Paxa	(909) 621-3459
Dragon's Dream Weekly Tourney	Dragon's Dream Comics Rome, GA	1/26/97	Dale Manning	(706) 234-7159
The Gaming Realm - Martinsburg	1161-T Winchester Ave Martinsburgh, WV	1/26/97	Tony Ordona	(304) 267-4662

The Sentry Box Tournaments	1835 10th Ave. SW Calgary, AB	11/12/96	Greg Latour	(403) 245-2121
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/12/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Type II Tournament	Dubuque Public Library, Dubuque, IA	11/12/96	Frank Ward	(319) 557-1897
Sanctioned Tourney @ Tom's	168 Bossier Crossroads, Bossier City, LA	11/12/96	Michael Champion	(318) 747-6153
Bronze Tablet–Type II	2595 Chandler Ave. Las Vegas, NV	11/12/96	Michael Kazee	(702) 736-4657
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd. Ext. N. Olmsted, OH	11/12/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Heroes & Dragons - Type II	1563 B Broad River Rd., Columbia, SC	11/12/96	Harold Snipes	(803) 731-4376
Masoleum Weekly	1702 Cumberland Ave. Louisville, TN	11/13/96	David Adkins	(423) 977-9153
California Gold - Type II	1348 W. Washington, Stevenville, TX	11/13/96	Lawrence Outlaw	(800) 287-6175
The Jester's Court Type II	11841 N 19th Ave., Phoenix, AZ	11/14/96	Billy Williams	(602) 943-8038
Deck Master	The Hidden Guild Lake Worth, FL	11/14/96	Roger Hart	(407) 965-6692
Thursday Night Showdown	Crystal Clear Waters Hobbies, Biddeford, ME	11/14/96	William Waters	(207) 985-4998
Weekly Tournaments	US 70 East Drexel, NC	11/14/96	Joe Williams	(704) 433-7521
A Place To Play Type II Tourn	2061 Lincoln Ave. San Jose, CA	11/15/96	Dan Ostler	(408) 448-2658
High Desert Tournament	2311 E Ave South Palmdale, CA	11/15/96	Allen Lulu	(805) 273-0185
The Comic Store - Mirage Const	3015 W 74th Avenue Westminster, CO	11/15/96	Steve Boeff	(303) 426-0768
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/15/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Gamesters Night - Type II	8383 SW 40th Street Miami, FL	11/15/96	Orencio Cardenas	(305) 226-4267
Comic Gallery - Type II	13756 SW 84th St. Miami, FL	11/15/96	Frank Shefner	(305) 385-4714
Classic Comics Friday Type II	1860-A Piedmont Rd NE Atlanta, GA	11/15/96	Brian DePadro	(404) 892-4442
Type II Tournament	Dubuque Public Library Dubuque, IA	11/15/96	Frank Ward	(319) 557-1897
Friday Night Type 2	Your Move Games Somerville, MA	11/15/96	Robert Dougherty	(617) 666-5799
The Gaming Realm - Frederick	69 Market St Frederick, MD	11/15/96	Tony Ordona	(301) 662-4263
Mint Card Co - Type II Tourn	7425 Baltimore-Maryland Rd Glen Burne, MD	11/15/96	Terry Mahoney	(410) 766-8071
Dreamers Sportscards & More	8332 Hwy 7 St Louis Park, MN	11/15/96	Doug Leyda	(612) 938-8163
Gathering Ground - Type II	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	11/15/96	Ron Powell	(314) 629-2500
Type II Tournament	4898 Hwy 421 E Boone, NC	11/15/96	Jubal Danner	(704) 264-0827
Daddy Jim's Weekly Tournament	1677 Westchester Dr High Point, NC	11/15/96	Robert Hall	(910) 889-9900
Boyhood Dreams Weekly Tourney	300 North Ave Dunellen, NJ	11/15/96	William Gunn	(908) 752-0440
Type II Tournament	7380 S Eastern Las Vegas, NV	11/15/96	Darryl Wilson	(702) 260-4924
Bronze Tablet - Type II	2595 Chandler Ave Las Vegas, NV	11/15/96	Michael Kazee	(702) 736-4657
Tales Twice Told Weekly Tourn	546 Westcott Street Syracuse, NY	11/15/96	Tim Nortz	(315) 475-5925
Multiverse Tournament-Type II	1265 Montauk Highway Mastic, NY	11/15/96	Keith Myers	(516) 281-7420
Reality Recess-Amherst	2268 Kresge Dr Amherst, OH	11/15/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Pendragon/WCYS Game Night	Mountpelier City Hall Mountpelier, VT	11/15/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
Beyond Fantasy - Type II	16205 Stony Plain Road Edmonton, AB	11/16/96	Robert Denis	(403) 483-2669
Manadash III	719 B Yates St Victoria, BC	11/16/96	Don McCaskill	(604) 595-8922
Reckoning Of Champions IV	70 N East Avenue Fayetteville, AR	11/16/96	John Hopping	(501) 444-0707
Sanctioned Type II Tournament	4500 E Speedway Tucson, AZ	11/16/96	Paul Nuttall	(520) 326-7679
Superstars November Tournament	19700 Stevens Creek Blvd Cupertino, CA	11/16/96	Ron Angeli	(408) 777-8277
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	11/16/96	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
You Con 14	5255 Cochran Simi Valley, CA	11/16/96	Jamey S Parker	(805) 579-0313
Comix Plus - Type II	1024 North "H" St Lompoc, CA	11/16/96	George Laufer	(805) 736-0050
Type II Tournament	3335 Balmoral Dr Sacramento, CA	11/16/96	Chris Maxson	(915) 488-4263
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/16/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Another Universe	Another Universe Washington, DC	11/16/96	Donny Wallace	(202) 333-8651
Comic Gallery - Ice Age	13756 SW 84th St. Miami, FL	11/16/96	Frank Shefner	(305) 385-4714
Comic Gallery - Type II	13756 SW 84th St. Miami, FL	11/16/96	Frank Shefner	(305) 385-4714
Under 18 Type II Tournament	6393 9th Street N St Petersburg, FL	11/16/96	Susan Correa	(813) 526-7494
	11585 Jones Bridge Rd Alpharetta, GA	11/16/96	Jim Kapper	(770) 569-2083
Type II Tournament	2731 Sandy Plains Rd , GA	11/16/96	Steve Frazier	(770) 592-9962
Cross-Over 17	Western Illinois University Macomb, IL	11/16/96	John Jack Medley	(309) 837-7300
Cacophony Of Cards - Type II	SIUC Student Center Carbondale, IL	11/16/96	Joel Nadler	(618) 529-4630
Hansen's V $1,000-Type II	631 Green Bay Wilmette, IL	11/16/96	Todd Hansen	(847) 853-1994
Ole Sanctioned Weekly Tourney	Dragon's Lair East Worcester, MA	11/16/96	William Bovenzi	(508) 756-7182
The Gaming Realm - Hagerstown	41 S Potomac St Hagerstown, MD	11/16/96	Tony Ordona	(301) 745-5973
Gathering Ground - Type II	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	11/16/96	Ron Powell	(314) 629-2500
Type II Tournament	1726 S Washington, S Forks P Grand Forks, ND	11/16/96	Nancy Elia	(701) 795-8595
	7380 S Eastern Las Vegas, NV	11/16/96	Darryl Wilson	(702) 260-4924
Armageddon 2	206 Old Loudon Road Latham, NY	11/16/96	Wesley Williams	(518) 371-2952
U B - S.A.R.P.A. Nov. Tourney	Student Union Amherst, NY	11/16/96	Denis Reilly	(716) 645-2950
Spellbinders Kent-Type II	257 S Water St Kent, OH	11/16/96	Paul Burdick	(330) 673-2230
Paradise Comics - Type II	112 W High St Oxford, OH	11/16/96	Walter Huber	(513) 523-7212
Type II Tournament	914 Henrietta Ave Huntingdon Valley, PA	11/16/96	Paul Ferker	(215) 379-1501
Heroes & Dragons - Type II	1563 B Broad River Road Columbia, SC	11/16/96	Harold Snipes	(803) 731-4376
Saturday Mox Type II	107 E Market St Kingsport, TN	11/16/96	Robert Douglas	(423) 247-8997
Mike's Arena - Type II	1325 Timbergrove Drive Knoxville, TN	11/16/96	Michael McSurley	(423) 531-1959
The Masoleum Weekly	3405 Keith St Clevland, TN	11/16/96	Angela Hitson	(423) 977-9153
Masoleum Weekly	2260 Gunbarrel Rd Chattanooga, TN	11/16/96	David Adkins	(423) 977-9153
Type II Highlander	2404 West End Ave Nashville, TN	11/16/96	Micky Bessone	(615) 320-7000
Type II Tournament	1191-I Fort Campbell Blvd Clarksville, TN	11/16/96	Ken Hawkins	(615) 553-0391
QT-Dallas (Dallas, TX)	Dallas, TX	11/16/96	Lance Scott	N/A
California Gold - Type II	1348 W Washington Stevenville, TX	11/16/96	Lawrence Outlaw	(800) 287-6175
A year ago, we banned the Chan	Lubbock, TX	11/16/96	The Mad Hatter	(806) 763-4054
Type II Tournament	Wizards Of The Desert Moab, UT	11/16/96	Lx Skye	(801) 259-2361
Type II Tournament-Orem, UT	Utah Valley State College Orem, UT	11/16/96	Tim Hendley	(801) 491-6262
Type II Tournament	5623 Williamson Rd NW Roanoke, VA	11/16/96	Pete Hoefling	(540) 362-4400
Pendragon Weekly - Type II	122 N Main St Barre, VT	11/16/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
Reader's Book Shop Weekly	Reader's Book Shop Regina, SK	11/17/96	Greg Roch	(306) 586-1414
Type II	6516 E 22nd St Tucson, AZ	11/17/96	Desi Raulston	(520) 790-2246
Sanctioned Sundays	29576 Mission Blvd Hayward, CA	11/17/96	Jeffrey Ferreira	(510) 582-1893
CCCGC Gathering - Type II	U Of C @ Berkeley Berkeley, CA	11/17/96	Sean Chen	(510) 704-0830
Artifex Weekly Tourney-Type II	11658 Carmel Mtn Rd San Diego, CA	11/17/96	James Parenti	(619) 487-0589
High Desert Tournament	2311 E Ave South Palmdale, CA	11/17/96	Allen Lulu	(805) 273-0185
Slam Fest	6325 1/2 Laurel Canyon Blvd North Hollywood, CA	11/17/96	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
Triple Play's Type II	31907 Mission Trail Lake Elsinore, CA	11/17/96	Jeremy Grenemyer	(909) 674-3487
All Fun & Games	6137 Magnolia Ave. Riverside, CA	11/17/96	Eric Phillips	(909) 781-2772
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/17/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Classic Comics Sunday Type II	1860-A Piedmont Rd NE Atlanta, GA	11/17/96	Brian DePadro	(404) 892-4442
Pandoras Box - Type II	8507 Baltimore Ave College Park, MD	11/17/96	Biren Amin	(301) 474-4931
Type II Tournament	7380 S Eastern Las Vegas, NV	11/17/96	Darryl Wilson	(702) 260-4924
Bronze Tablet - Type II	2595 Chandler Ave Las Vegas, NV	11/17/96	Michael Kazee	(702) 736-4657
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Cardhaus Type II Tournament	114 W 7th Stillwater, OK	11/17/96	Matt Hoskins	(405) 372-3021
Mega City - Type II	6800 Huebner Rd San Antonio, TX	11/17/96	Jonathan Vandermeer	(210) 614-0913
Type II Tournament	805 W Park Row Dr Arlington, TX	11/17/96	Mike Eckrich	(817) 461-4263
Nova Type II Tournament	3629 Plank Rd Fredricksburg, VA	11/17/96	James Farr	(540) 786-2863
The Game Cave - Type II	11-B Ellewood Ave Charlottsville, VA	11/17/96	Craig O'Brien	(804) 984-2810
Bronze Tablet - Type II	2595 Chandler Ave Las Vegas, NV	11/18/96	Michael Kazee	(702) 736-4657
The Sentry Box Tournaments	1835 10th Ave SW Calgary, AB	11/19/96	Greg Latour	(403) 245-2121
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/19/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Type II Tournament	Dubuque Public Library Dubuque, IA	11/19/96	Frank Ward	(319) 557-1897
Sanctioned Tourney @ Tom's	168 Bossier Crossroads Bossier City, LA	11/19/96	Michael Champion	(318) 747-6153
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	11/19/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Spellbinders Akron-Type II	5 Meriman Rd Akron, OH	11/19/96	Paul Burdick	(330) 374-7735
Heroes & Dragons - Type II	1563 B Broad River Road Columbia, SC	11/19/96	Harold Snipes	(803) 731-4376
Masoleum Weekly	2104 W Cumberland Ave Knoxville, TN	11/19/96	Angela Hitson	(423) 977-9153
The Jester's Court Type II	11841 N 19th Avenue Phoenix, AZ	11/21/96	Billy Williams	(602) 943-8038
Deck Master	The Hidden Guild Lake Worth, FL	11/21/96	Roger Hart	(407) 965-6692
Thursday Night Showdown	Crystal Clear Waters Hobbies Biddeford, ME	11/21/96	William Waters	(207) 985-4998
Weekly Tournaments	US 70 East Drexel, NC	11/21/96	Joe Williams	(704) 433-7521
Angie's Thursday Weekly	3822 Sutherland Ave Knoxville, TN	11/21/96	Angela Hitson	(423) 977-9153
A Place To Play Type II Tourn	2061 Lincoln Ave San Jose, CA	11/22/96	Dan Ostler	(408) 448-2658
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/22/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Comic Gallery - Type II	13756 SW 84th St. Miami, FL	11/22/96	Frank Shefner	(305) 385-4714
Classic Comics Friday Type II	1860-A Piedmont Rd NE Atlanta, GA	11/22/96	Brian DePadro	(404) 892-4442
Foxfire '96	Cessna Activity Center Wichita, KS	11/22/96	Edward Fox	(316) 522-5331
Foxfire '96	Cessna Activity Center Wichita, KS	11/22/96	Edward Fox	(316) 522-5331
Foxfire '96 Ice Age	817 W 34th Street South - Wichita, KS	11/22/96	Edward Fox	(316) 522-5331
Friday Night Type 2	Your Move Games Somerville, MA	11/22/96	Robert Dougherty	(617) 666-5799
The Gaming Realm - Frederick	69 Market St Frederick, MD	11/22/96	Tony Ordona	(301) 662-4263
Mint Card Co - Type II Tourn	7425 Baltimore-Maryland Rd Glen Burne, MD	11/22/96	Terry Mahoney	(410) 766-8071
Dreamers Sportscards & More	8332 Hwy 7 St Louis Park, MN	11/22/96	Doug Leyda	(612) 938-8163
Gathering Ground - Type II	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	11/22/96	Ron Powell	(314) 629-2500
ShaunCon XIII	Hwy 70 & Longview Rd Kansas City, MO	11/22/96	R. Alan Grimes	(816) 455-5020
Type II Tournament	4898 Hwy 421 E Boone, NC	11/22/96	Jubal Danner	(704) 264-0827
Garden State Games Faire	Holiday Inn-Center Point Cranbury, NJ	11/22/96	Andrew Dawson	(610) 367-4857
Boyhood Dreams Weekly Tourney	300 North Ave Dunellen, NJ	11/22/96	William Gunn	(908) 752-0440
Type II Tournament	7380 S Eastern Las Vegas, NV	11/22/96	Darryl Wilson	(702) 260-4924
Tales Twice Told Weekly Tourn	546 Westcott Street Syracuse, NY	11/22/96	Tim Nortz	(315) 475-5925
Multiverse Tournament-Type II	1265 Montauk Highway Mastic, NY	11/22/96	Keith Myers	(516) 281-7420
Reality Recess-Amherst	2268 Kresge Dr Amherst, OH	11/22/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Pendragon/WCYS Game Night	Mountpelier City Hall Mountpelier, VT	11/22/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
Type II Tournament	3967 Woodward Blvd Windsor, ON	11/23/96	George Clark	(519) 969-2984
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	11/23/96	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
Comix Plus - Type II	1024 North "H" St Lompoc, CA	11/23/96	George Laufer	(805) 736-0050
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/23/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Manamania	727 Boswell Ave Norwich, CT	11/23/96	Ed Gauthier	(860) 887-0483
Type II Tournament	2731 Sandy Plains Rd , GA	11/23/96	Steve Frazier	(770) 592-9962
Foxfire '96 Ice Age	817 W 34th Street South - Wichita, KS	11/23/96	Edward Fox	(316) 522-5331
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The Gaming Realm - Hagerstown	41 S Potomac St Hagerstown, MD	11/23/96	Tony Ordona	(301) 745-5973
The Pack Shack Type II	13697 Eureka - Southgate, MI	11/23/96	Jeneen Kilgore	(313) 284-0550
Gathering Ground - Type II	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	11/23/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
Type II Tournament	4898 Hwy 421 E Boone, NC	11/23/96	Jubal Danner	(704) 264-0827
Type II Tournament	794 Fort Crook Rd S Bellevue, NE	11/23/96	Travis Olberding	(402) 292-0091
Bronze Tablet - Type II	2595 Chandler Ave Las Vegas, NV	11/23/96	Michael Kazee	(702) 736-4657
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	11/23/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Type II Tournament	601 Union Road Monroe, OH	11/23/96	Mike Smith	(513) 520-7162
Paradise Comics - Type II	112 W High St Oxford, OH	11/23/96	Walter Huber	(513) 523-7212
Type II Sanctioned Tournament	M & M Comics & Cards Chillicothe, OH	11/23/96	Mark Dickson	(614) 774-1103
King Of The Keep III	5181 Dixie Hwy , OH	11/23/96	Mike Mascara	(800) 591-6832
Borderland's - Type II	267 Commercial S Salem, OR	11/23/96	Nate Jones	(503) 399-3597
Klamath Gathering Nov '96	4545 S 6th St Klamath Falls, OR	11/23/96	Jim Majorowicz	(541) 882-2979
Type II Tournament	914 Henrietta Ave Huntingdon Valley, PA	11/23/96	Paul Ferker	(215) 379-1501
M & M Sportscards-Type II	344 Main Street Royersford, PA	11/23/96	Donna Mabry	(610) 948-1080
Heroes & Dragons - Type II	1563 B Broad River Road Colombia, SC	11/23/96	Harold Snipes	(803) 731-4376
Saturday Mox Type II	107 E Market St Kingsport, TN	11/23/96	Robert Douglas	(423) 247-8997
Chattanooga American-IA Const	6787 Lee Hwy Chattanooga, TN	11/23/96	Ron McClure	(423) 490-0501
Mike's Arena - Type II	1325 Timbergrove Drive Knoxville, TN	11/23/96	Michael McSurley	(423) 531-1959
Type II	2404 West End Ave Nashville, TN	11/23/96	Micky Bessone	(615) 320-7000
Type II Tournament	Wizards Of The Desert Moab, UT	11/23/96	Lx Skye	(801) 259-2361
Type II Tournament	5623 Williamson Rd NW Roanoke, VA	11/23/96	Pete Hoefling	(540) 362-4400
Pendragon Weekly - Type II	122 N Main St Barre, VT	11/23/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
Bat Cave Type II Tournament	6415 E Mill Plain Blvd Vancouver, WA	11/23/96	Bradley Anderson	(360) 694-4947
Type II Tournament	24 S Main St Oconomowoc, WI	11/23/96	Kelly Henrickson	(414) 569-6165
Barrie Challenge II-Type II	320 Bayfield St Barrie, ON	11/24/96	Les Ervin	(705) 734-3903
Dragon Magique Type II Tourney	7250 Taschereau, Place Portobe Brossard, QUE	11/24/96	Norman Chu	(514) 671-4275
Reader's Book Shop Weekly	Reader's Book Shop Regina, SK	11/24/96	Greg Roch	(306) 586-1414
Type II	6516 E 22nd St Tucson, AZ	11/24/96	Desi Raulston	(520) 790-2246
Artifex Weekly Tourney-Type II	11658 Carmel Mtn Rd San Diego, CA	11/24/96	James Parenti	(619) 487-0589
	453 Stony Point Rd Santa Rosa, CA	11/24/96	Andrew Cosman	(707) 575-5797
Slam Fest	6325 1/2 Laurel Canyon Blvd North Hollywood, CA	11/24/96	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
4th Edition Type II Tournament	555 Benson Valano, CA	11/24/96	John Paiva	(909) 621-3459
All Fun & Games	6137 Magnolia Ave. Riverside, CA	11/24/96	Eric Phillips	(909) 781-2772
Type II	7821 Wadsworth Blvd Arvada, CO	11/24/96	Derek Rolvsbakken	(303) 436-3236
Classic Comics Sunday Type II	1860-A Piedmont Rd NE Atlanta, GA	11/24/96	Brian DePadro	(404) 892-4442
Dragon's Dream	Dragon's Dream Comics - Rome, GA	11/24/96	Dale Manning	(706) 234-7159
Foxfire '96	817 W 34th Street South - Wichita, KS	11/24/96	Edward Fox	(316) 522-5331
Type II Tournament	105 N Bridge St Linden, MI	11/24/96	Raymond Carson	(810) 735-6010
Type II Tournament	7380 S Eastern Las Vegas, NV	11/24/96	Darryl Wilson	(702) 260-4924
Bronze Tablet - Type II	2595 Chandler Ave Las Vegas, NV	11/24/96	Michael Kazee	(702) 736-4657
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Reality Recess-Amherst	2268 Kresge Dr Amherst, OH	11/24/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Beyond Reality Type II Tourney	2 N Balph Ave Pittsburgh, PA	11/24/96	Dave Reed	(412) 766-7474
Type II Tournament	2000 W 42nd St Sioux Falls, SD	11/24/96	Larry Kohlman	(605) 339-4847
Knoxville American - Type II	1705 Cumberland Ave Knoxville, TN	11/24/96	Ron McClure	(423) 521-9000
Mega City - Type II	6800 Huebner Rd San Antonio, TX	11/24/96	Jonathan Vandermeer	(210) 614-0913
Cool Games - Type II	3112 N Jupiter Garland, TX	11/24/96	Jason Regan	(214) 496-3547
Bronze Tablet - Type II	2595 Chandler Ave Las Vegas, NV	11/25/96	Michael Kazee	(702) 736-4657
The Sentry Box Tournaments	1835 10th Ave SW Calgary, AB	11/26/96	Greg Latour	(403) 245-2121
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/26/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Type II Tournament	Dubuque Public Library Dubuque, IA	11/26/96	Frank Ward	(319) 557-1897
Sanctioned Tourney @ Tom's	168 Bossier Crossroads Bossier City, LA	11/26/96	Michael Champion	(318) 747-6153
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	11/26/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Heroes & Dragons - Type II	1563 B Broad River Road Columbia, SC	11/26/96	Harold Snipes	(803) 731-4376
The Jester's Court Type II	11841 N 19th Avenue Phoenix, AZ	11/27/96	Billy Williams	(602) 943-8038
Masoleum Weekly	1702 Cumberland Ave Louisville , TN	11/27/96	David Adkins	(423) 977-9153
Deck Master	The Hidden Guild Lake Worth, FL	11/28/96	Roger Hart	(407) 965-6692
Weekly Tournaments	US 70 East Drexel, NC	11/28/96	Joe Williams	(704) 433-7521
A Place To Play Type II Tourn	2061 Lincoln Ave San Jose, CA	11/29/96	Dan Ostler	(408) 448-2658
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/29/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Comic Gallery - Type II	13756 SW 84th St. Miami, FL	11/29/96	Frank Shefner	(305) 385-4714
Classic Comics Friday Type II	1860-A Piedmont Rd NE Atlanta, GA	11/29/96	Brian DePadro	(404) 892-4442
SyndiCon '96 - Type II	Rt 20 Portage, IN	11/29/96	Carl Cabanas	(219) 763-4802
SyndiCon '96 - Ice Age	Rt 20 Portage, IN	11/29/96	Carl Cabanas	(219) 763-4802
Friday Night Type 2	Your Move Games Somerville, MA	11/29/96	Robert Dougherty	(617) 666-5799
The Gaming Realm - Frederick	69 Market St Frederick, MD	11/29/96	Tony Ordona	(301) 662-4263
Mint Card Co - Type II Tourn	7425 Baltimore-Maryland Rd Glen Burne, MD	11/29/96	Terry Mahoney	(410) 766-8071
Dreamers Sportscards & More	8332 Hwy 7 St Louis Park, MN	11/29/96	Doug Leyda	(612) 938-8163
Gathering Ground - Type II	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	11/29/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
Type II Tournament	4898 Hwy 421 E Boone, NC	11/29/96	Jubal Danner	(704) 264-0827
Daddy Jim's Weekly Tournament	1677 Westchester Dr High Point, NC	11/29/96	Robert Hall	(910) 889-9900
Boyhood Dreams Weekly Tourney	300 North Ave Dunellen, NJ	11/29/96	William Gunn	(908) 752-0440
Type II Tournament	7380 S Eastern Las Vegas, NV	11/29/96	Darryl Wilson	(702) 260-4924
Bronze Tablet - Type II	2595 Chandler Ave Las Vegas, NV	11/29/96	Michael Kazee	(702) 736-4657
Tales Twice Told Weekly Tourn	546 Westcott Street Syracuse, NY	11/29/96	Tim Nortz	(315) 475-5925
Multiverse Tournament-Type II	1265 Montauk Highway Mastic, NY	11/29/96	Keith Myers	(516) 281-7420
Reality Recess-Amherst	2268 Kresge Dr Amherst, OH	11/29/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Pendragon/WCYS Game Night	Mountpelier City Hall Mountpelier, VT	11/29/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
Beyond Fantasy - Type II	16205 Stony Plain Road Edmonton, AB	11/30/96	Robert Denis	(403) 483-2669
Rock Is Strong Type II Tourn	15-384 Pembina Hwy Winnipeg, MB	11/30/96	Marc Molin	(204) 452-8711
401 Ways To Die...	401 Yonge St Toronto, ON	11/30/96	Jeff MacDougall	(416) 599-6446
M Quest Presents Type II Tourn	353 Sherbourne St. Toronto, ON	11/30/96	Marvin Paguingan	(905) 524-5725
Wizards Joust VII	4949 Snyder Lane Rohnert Park, CA	11/30/96	Chad Jensen	(707) 585-8609
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	11/30/96	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
Ice Age Tournament	555 Benson Valano, CA	11/30/96	John Paiva	(909) 621-3459
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/30/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Type II Tournament	173 East Main St Newark, DE	11/30/96	John Corradin	(302) 366-0963
Comic Gallery - Type II	13756 SW 84th St. Miami, FL	11/30/96	Frank Shefner	(305) 385-4714
Type II Tournament	6393 9th Street N St Petersburg, FL	11/30/96	Susan Correa	(813) 526-7494
	11585 Jones Bridge Rd Alpharetta, GA	11/30/96	Jim Kapper	(770) 569-2083
Type II Tournament	2731 Sandy Plains Rd , GA	11/30/96	Steve Frazier	(770) 592-9962
Type II Tournament	2450 Lincoln Street Highland , IN	11/30/96	Cathy Roksar	(219) 922-4855
Castle Con	9100 E Kellogg , KS	11/30/96	Robert Rutherford	(316) 265-3848
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Type II Sanctioned Tourney	155 N 7th Salina, KS	11/30/96	Jay Krob	(913) 826-1810
The Gaming Realm - Hagerstown	41 S Potomac St Hagerstown, MD	11/30/96	Tony Ordona	(301) 745-5973
J&R Cards & Comics Fri Tourn	12C Center Street Brunswick, ME	11/30/96	Ronald York	(207) 729-1577
Gathering Ground - Type II	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	11/30/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
Type II Tournament	1726 S Washington, S Forks P Grand Forks, ND	11/30/96	Nancy Elia	(701) 795-8595
	Superhero City Sicklerville, NJ	11/30/96	Frank Cataldi	(609) 629-0722
Alien World Type II Tournament	322 Sunrise Highway Rockville Centre, NY	11/30/96	Robert Hui	(516) 536-8151
Pastimes - Type II	Pastimes Sportscards & Comics Wilmette, OH	11/30/96	Alan Hochman	(847) 251-9004
Type II Tournament	2218 NE 82nd Ave Portland, OR	11/30/96	Hanh Nguyen	(503) 255-9152
Type II Tournament	914 Henrietta Ave Huntingdon Valley, PA	11/30/96	Paul Ferker	(215) 379-1501
S Carolina State Championship	Big Ron's Card Connection Columbia, SC	11/30/96	J B Cantey	(803) 432-0210
Saturday Mox Type II	107 E Market St Kingsport, TN	11/30/96	Robert Douglas	(423) 247-8997
Mike's Arena - Type II	1325 Timbergrove Drive Knoxville, TN	11/30/96	Michael McSurley	(423) 531-1959
Type II Tournament	1191-I Fort Campbell Blvd Clarksville, TN	11/30/96	Ken Hawkins	(615) 553-0391
Ice Age Tournament	1191-I Fort Campbell Blvd Clarksville, TN	11/30/96	Ken Hawkins	(615) 553-0391
Type II Tournament	Wizards Of The Desert Moab, UT	11/30/96	Lx Skye	(801) 259-2361
Type II Tournament	5623 Williamson Rd NW Roanoke, VA	11/30/96	Pete Hoefling	(540) 362-4400
Pendragon Weekly - Type II	122 N Main St Barre, VT	11/30/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
Type II Tournament	3rd Floor Thompson Student Cen St John's, NF	12/1/96	David Furey	(709) 722-8945
Type II	6516 E 22nd St Tucson, AZ	12/1/96	Desi Raulston	(520) 790-2246
Sanctioned Sundays	29576 Mission Blvd Hayward, CA	12/1/96	Jeffrey Ferreira	(510) 582-1893
Artifex Weekly Tourney-Type II	11658 Carmel Mtn Rd San Diego, CA	12/1/96	James Parenti	(619) 487-0589
Triple Play's Type II	31907 Mission Trail Lake Elsinore, CA	12/1/96	Jeremy Grenemyer	(909) 674-3487
All Fun & Games	6137 Magnolia Ave. Riverside, CA	12/1/96	Eric Phillips	(909) 781-2772
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/1/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Classic Comics Sunday Type II	1860-A Piedmont Rd NE Atlanta, GA	12/1/96	Brian DePadro	(404) 892-4442
Castle Con	9100 E Kellogg , KS	12/1/96	Robert Rutherford	(316) 265-3848
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Gathering Ground - Type 1.5	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	12/1/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
Bronze Tablet - Type II	2595 Chandler Ave Las Vegas, NV	12/1/96	Michael Kazee	(702) 736-4657
SandCon Dec '96 - Type II	Orioles Club Sandusky, OH	12/1/96	David Baum	(419) 433-6303
Knoxville American - Type II	1705 Cumberland Ave Knoxville, TN	12/1/96	Ron McClure	(423) 521-9000
Mega City - Type II	6800 Huebner Rd San Antonio, TX	12/1/96	Jonathan Vandermeer	(210) 614-0913
The Game Cave - Type II	11-B Ellewood Ave Charlottsville, VA	12/1/96	Craig O'Brien	(804) 984-2810
Games People Play I	Northway Mall Marshfield, WI	12/1/96	Michael Helmsing	(715) 342-1494
The Sentry Box Tournaments	1835 10th Ave SW Calgary, AB	12/3/96	Greg Latour	(403) 245-2121
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/3/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Type II Tournament	Dubuque Public Library Dubuque, IA	12/3/96	Frank Ward	(319) 557-1897
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	12/3/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Heroes & Dragons - Type II	1563 B Broad River Road Columbia, SC	12/3/96	Harold Snipes	(803) 731-4376
The Jester's Court Type II	11841 N 19th Avenue Phoenix, AZ	12/5/96	Billy Williams	(602) 943-8038

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TOURNEY	LOCATION	DATE	COORD'R	PHONE
Deck Master	The Hidden Guild Lake Worth, FL	12/5/96	Roger Hart	(407) 965-6692
Weekly Tournaments	US 70 East Drexel, NC	12/5/96	Joe Williams	(704) 433-7521
A Place To Play Type II Tourn	2061 Lincoln Ave San Jose, CA	12/6/96	Dan Ostler	(408) 448-2658
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/6/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Classic Comics Friday Type II	1860-A Piedmont Rd NE Atlanta, GA	12/6/96	Brian DePadro	(404) 892-4442
Friday Night Type 2	Your Move Games Somerville, MA	12/6/96	Robert Dougherty	(617) 666-5799
The Gaming Realm - Frederick	69 Market St Frederick, MD	12/6/96	Tony Ordona	(301) 662-4263
Mint Card Co - Type II Tourn	7425 Baltimore-Maryland Rd Glen Burne, MD	12/6/96	Terry Mahoney	(410) 766-8071
Dreamers Sportscards & More	8332 Hwy 7 St Louis Park, MN	12/6/96	Doug Leyda	(612) 938-8163
Gathering Ground - Type II	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	12/6/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
Daddy Jim's Weekly Tournament	1677 Westchester Dr. High Point, NC	12/6/96	Mike Krzywicki	(910) 889-9900
Boyhood Dreams Weekly Tourney	300 North Ave Dunellen, NJ	12/6/96	William Gunn	(908) 752-0440
Bronze Tablet - Type II	2595 Chandler Ave Las Vegas, NV	12/6/96	Michael Kazee	(702) 736-4657
Tales Twice Told Weekly Tourn	546 Westcott Street Syracuse, NY	12/6/96	Tim Nortz	(315) 475-5925
Multiverse Tournament-Type II	1265 Montauk Highway Mastic, NY	12/6/96	Keith Myers	(516) 281-7420
Reality Recess-Amherst	2268 Kresge Dr Amherst, OH	12/6/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Pendragon/WCYS Game Night	Mountpelier City Hall Mountpelier, VT	12/6/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	12/7/96	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/7/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Type II Sanctioned Tournament	2270 Unit A Tamiami Trail Pt Charlotte, FL	12/7/96	David Simko	(941) 629-2115
Type II Tournament	2731 Sandy Plains Rd , GA	12/7/96	Steve Frazier	(770) 592-9962
The Gaming Realm - Hagerstown	41 S Potomac St Hagerstown, MD	12/7/96	Tony Ordona	(301) 662-4263
Ice Age/Alliances Tournament	1214 S University Ann Arbor, MI	12/7/96	Swami Cross	(313) 663-6646
Type II Tournament	4898 Hwy 421 E Boone, NC	12/7/96	Jubal Danner	(704) 264-0827
Paradise Comics - Type II	112 W High St Oxford, OH	12/7/96	Walter Huber	(513) 523-7212
Multi Event #12	3000 Gateway Blvd Springfield, OR	12/7/96	Albert Amato	(541) 689-4179
Type II Tournament	914 Henrietta Ave Huntingdon Valley, PA	12/7/96	Paul Ferker	(215) 379-1501
M & M Sportscards-Type II	344 Main Street Royersford, PA	12/7/96	Donna Mabry	(610) 948-1080
Saturday Type II Tournament	107 E Market St Kingsport, TN	12/7/96	Dewayne Chase	(423) 247-8997
Mike's Arena - Type II	1325 Timbergrove Drive Knoxville, TN	12/7/96	Michael McSurley	(423) 531-1959
The Masoleum Weekly	3405 Keith St Cleviand, TN	12/7/96	Angela Hitson	(423) 977-9153
A Chaos Orb for Chanukah!	Lubbock, TX	12/7/96	The Mad Hatter	(806) 763-4054
Type II Tournament	Wizards Of The Desert Moab, UT	12/7/96	Lx Skye	(801) 259-2361
Type II Tournament	5623 Williamson Rd NW Roanoke, VA	12/7/96	Pete Hoefling	(540) 362-4400
Pendragon Weekly - Type II	122 N Main St Barre, VT	12/7/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
Bat Cave Type II Tournament	6415 E Mill Plain Blvd Vancouver, WA	12/7/96	Bradley Anderson	(360) 694-4947
Dragon Magique Type II Tourney	7250 Taschereau, Place Portobe Brossard, QUE	12/8/96	Norman Chu	(514) 671-4275
Type II	6516 E 22nd St Tucson, AZ	12/8/96	Desi Raulston	(520) 790-2246
Artifex Weekly Tourney-Type II	11658 Carmel Mtn Rd San Diego, CA	12/8/96	James Parenti	(619) 487-0589
Slam Fest	6325 1/2 Laurel Canyon Blvd North Hollywood, CA	12/8/96	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
All Fun & Games	6137 Magnolia Ave. Riverside, CA	12/8/96	Eric Phillips	(909) 781-2772
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/8/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Classic Comics Sunday Type II	1860-A Piedmont Rd NE Atlanta, GA	12/8/96	Brian DePadro	(404) 892-4442
Dragon's Dream	Dragon's Dream Comics - Rome, GA	12/8/96	Dale Manning	(706) 234-7159
Type II Tournament	1214 S University Ann Arbor, MI	12/8/96	Swami Cross	(313) 663-6646
Type II Tournament	105 N Bridge St Linden, MI	12/8/96	Raymond Carson	(810) 735-6010
Reality Recess-Amherst	2268 Kresge Dr Amherst, OH	12/8/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Type II Tournament	601 Union Road Monroe, OH	12/8/96	Mike Smith	(513) 520-7162
Beyond Reality Type II Tourney	2 N Balph Ave Pittsburgh, PA	12/8/96	Dave Reed	(412) 766-7474
Mighty Mick's Type II	2404 West End Ave Nashville, TN	12/8/96	Micky Bessone	(615) 320-7000
Cool Games - Type II	3112 N Jupiter Garland, TX	12/8/96	Jason Regan	(214) 496-3547
Bronze Tablet - Type II	2595 Chandler Ave Las Vegas, NV	12/9/96	Michael Kazee	(702) 736-4657
The Sentry Box Tournaments	1835 10th Ave SW Calgary, AB	12/10/96	Greg Latour	(403) 245-2121
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/10/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Type II Tournament	Dubuque Public Library Dubuque, IA	12/10/96	Frank Ward	(319) 557-1897
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	12/10/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Heroes & Dragons - Type II	1563 B Broad River Road Columbia, SC	12/10/96	Harold Snipes	(803) 731-4376
Masoleum Weekly	2104 W Cumberland Ave Knoxville, TN	12/10/96	David Adkins	(423) 977-9153
Masoleum Weekly	1702 Cumberland Ave Louisville, TN	12/11/96	David Adkins	(423) 977-9153
The Jester's Court Type II	11841 N 19th Avenue Phoenix, AZ	12/12/96	Billy Williams	(602) 943-8038
Deck Master	The Hidden Guild Lake Worth, FL	12/12/96	Roger Hart	(407) 965-6692
Weekly Tournaments	US 70 East Drexel, NC	12/12/96	Joe Williams	(704) 433-7521
A Place To Play Type II Tourn	2061 Lincoln Ave San Jose, CA	12/13/96	Dan Ostler	(408) 448-2658
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/13/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Classic Comics Friday Type II	1860-A Piedmont Rd NE Atlanta, GA	12/13/96	Brian DePadro	(404) 892-4442
Friday Night Type 2	Your Move Games Somerville, MA	12/13/96	Robert Dougherty	(617) 666-5799
The Gaming Realm - Frederick	69 Market St Frederick, MD	12/13/96	Tony Ordona	(301) 662-4263
Mint Card Co - Type II Tourn	7425 Baltimore-Maryland Rd Glen Burne, MD	12/13/96	Terry Mahoney	(410) 766-8071
Dreamers Sportscards & More	8332 Hwy 7 St Louis Park, MN	12/13/96	Doug Leyda	(612) 938-8163
Gathering Ground - Type II	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	12/13/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
Daddy Jim's Weekly Tournament	1677 Westchester Dr High Point, NC	12/13/96	Robert Hall	(910) 889-9900
Boyhood Dreams Weekly Tourney	300 North Ave Dunellen, NJ	12/13/96	William Gunn	(908) 752-0440
Bronze Tablet - Type II	2595 Chandler Ave Las Vegas, NV	12/13/96	Michael Kazee	(702) 736-4657
Tales Twice Told Weekly Tourn	546 Westcott Street Syracuse, NY	12/13/96	Tim Nortz	(315) 475-5925
Multiverse Tournament-Type II	1265 Montauk Highway Mastic, NY	12/13/96	Keith Myers	(516) 281-7420
Reality Recess-Amherst	2268 Kresge Dr Amherst, OH	12/13/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Pendragon/WCYS Game Night	Mountpelier City Hall Mountpelier, VT	12/13/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
Beyond Fantasy - Type II	16205 Stony Plain Road Edmonton, AB	12/14/96	Robert Denis	(403) 483-2669
Wizards Joust VIII	4949 Snyder Lane Rohnert Park, CA	12/14/96	Chad Jensen	(707) 585-8609
	ROHNERT PARK, CA	12/14/96	Lee Henderson	(707) 795-0181
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	12/14/96	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/14/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Type II Tournament	2731 Sandy Plains Rd , GA	12/14/96	Steve Frazier	(770) 592-9962
Cross-Over 18	Western Illinois University Macomb, IL	12/14/96	John Jack Medley	(309) 837-7300
The Gaming Realm - Hagerstown	41 S Potomac St Hagerstown, MD	12/14/96	Tony Ordona	(301) 745-5973
The Pack Shack Type II	13697 Eureka - Southgate, MI	12/14/96	Jeneen Kilgore	(313) 284-0550
Dreamers Friday Nights	St Louis Park, MN	12/14/96	Nicholas Csercse	(612) 938-8163
Gathering Ground - Type II	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	12/14/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
Type II Tournament	1216 S Washington, S Parks P Grand Forks, ND	12/14/96	Nancy Elia	(701) 795-8595
	HobbyTown U.S.A. (Thom Walla) Lincoln, NE	12/14/96	Mary Hayes	(402) 441-0604
Wolf's Lair Ice Age/Alliance	43 Chestnut Street Oneonta, NY	12/14/96	Keith Kreger	(607) 733-1035
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	12/14/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Pastimes - Type II	Pastimes Sportscards & Comics Wilmette, OH	12/14/96	Alan Hochman	(847) 251-9004
Type II Tournament	914 Henrietta Ave Huntingdon Valley, PA	12/14/96	Paul Ferker	(215) 379-1501
Saturday Type II Tournament	107 E Market St Kingsport, TN	12/14/96	Dewayne Chase	(423) 247-8997
Mike's Arena - Type II	1325 Timbergrove Drive Knoxville, TN	12/14/96	Michael McSurley	(423) 531-1959
Masoleum Weekly	2260 Gunbarrel Rd Chattanooga, TN	12/14/96	David Adkins	(423) 977-9153
Mighty Mick's Type II	2404 West End Ave Nashville, TN	12/14/96	Micky Bessone	(615) 320-7000
Gamefest Type II Tournament	2007 Strawberry Pasadena, TX	12/14/96	Champ Thompson	(713) 946-2328
Type II Tournament	Wizards Of The Desert Moab, UT	12/14/96	Lx Skye	(801) 259-2361
Type II Tournament	5623 Williamson Rd NW Roanoke, VA	12/14/96	Pete Hoefling	(540) 562-4400
Pendragon Weekly - Type II	122 N Main St Barre, VT	12/14/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
Card Party: Team Challenge	University Center Building Stevens Point, WI	12/14/96	Bert Blaine	(715) 627-2526
Card Party: Team Challenge	Antigo, WI	12/14/96	Bert Blaine	(715) 627-2526
Type II	6516 E 22nd St Tucson, AZ	12/15/96	Desi Raulston	(520) 790-2246
Artifex Weekly Tourney-Type II	11658 Carmel Mtn Rd San Diego, CA	12/15/96	James Parenti	(619) 487-0589
Slam Fest	6325 1/2 Laurel Canyon Blvd North Hollywood, CA	12/15/96	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
Triple Play's Type II	31907 Mission Trail Lake Elsinore, CA	12/15/96	Jeremy Grenemyer	(909) 674-3487
All Fun & Games	6137 Magnolia Ave. Riverside, CA	12/15/96	Eric Phillips	(909) 781-2772
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/15/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Classic Comics Sunday Type II	1860-A Piedmont Rd NE Atlanta, GA	12/15/96	Brian DePadro	(404) 892-4442
Hansen's VI $1,000-Type II	Hillside Holiday Inn Hillside, IL	12/15/96	Todd Hansen	(847) 853-1994
Hansen's VI $1,000-Ice Age	Hillside Holiday Inn Hillside, IL	12/15/96	Todd Hansen	(847) 853-1994
	Auburn, ME	12/15/96	Carl Hebert	(207) 777-3144
Gathering Ground - Type II	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	12/15/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
Angie's Thursday Wedgie	3822 Sutherland Ave Knoxville, TN	12/15/96	Angela Hitson	(423) 977-9153
Cool Games - Type II	3112 N Jupiter Garland, TX	12/15/96	Jason Regan	(214) 496-3547
Bronze Tablet - Type II	2595 Chandler Ave Las Vegas, NV	12/16/96	Michael Kazee	(702) 736-4657
The Sentry Box Tournaments	1835 10th Ave SW Calgary, AB	12/17/96	Greg Latour	(403) 245-2121
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/17/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Type II Tournament	Dubuque Public Library Dubuque, IA	12/17/96	Frank Ward	(319) 557-1897
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	12/17/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Heroes & Dragons - Type II	1563 B Broad River Road Columbia, SC	12/17/96	Harold Snipes	(803) 731-4376
Bronze Tablet - Type II	2595 Chandler Ave Las Vegas, NV	12/18/96	Michael Kazee	(702) 736-4657
The Jester's Court Type II	11841 N 19th Avenue Phoenix, AZ	12/19/96	Billy Williams	(602) 943-8038
Deck Master	The Hidden Guild Lake Worth, FL	12/19/96	Roger Hart	(407) 965-6692
Weekly Tournaments	US 70 East Drexel, NC	12/19/96	Joe Williams	(704) 433-7521
Angie's Thursday Wedgie	3822 Sutherland Ave Knoxville, TN	12/19/96	Angela Hitson	(423) 977-9153
A Place To Play Type II Tourn	2061 Lincoln Ave San Jose, CA	12/20/96	Dan Ostler	(408) 448-2658
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/20/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Classic Comics Friday Type II	1860-A Piedmont Rd NE Atlanta, GA	12/20/96	Brian DePadro	(404) 892-4442
Friday Night Type 2	Your Move Games Somerville, MA	12/20/96	Robert Dougherty	(617) 666-5799
The Gaming Realm - Frederick	69 Market St Frederick, MD	12/20/96	Tony Ordona	(301) 662-4263
Mint Card Co - Type II Tourn	7425 Baltimore-Maryland Rd Glen Burne, MD	12/20/96	Terry Mahoney	(410) 766-8071
Dreamers Sportscards & More	8332 Hwy 7 St Louis Park, MN	12/20/96	Doug Leyda	(612) 938-8163
Gathering Ground - Type II	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	12/20/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022

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Daddy Jim's Weekly Tournament	1677 Westchester Dr. High Point, NC	12/20/96	Mike Krzywicki	(910) 889-9900
Boyhood Dreams Weekly Tourney	300 North Ave Dunellen, NJ	12/20/96	William Gunn	(908) 752-0440
Bronze Tablet - Type II	2595 Chandler Ave Las Vegas, NV	12/20/96	Michael Kazee	(702) 736-4657
Tales Twice Told Weekly Tourn	546 Westcott Street Syracuse, NY	12/20/96	Tim Nortz	(315) 475-5925
Multiverse Tournament-Type II	1265 Montauk Highway Mastic, NY	12/20/96	Keith Myers	(516) 281-7420
Reality Recess-Amherst	2268 Kresge Dr Amherst, OH	12/20/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Pendragon/WCYS Game Night	Mountpelier City Hall Mountpelier, VT	12/20/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	12/21/96	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
You Con 15	5255 Cochran Simi Valley, CA	12/21/96	James S Parker	(805) 579-0313
Type II Tournament	3335 Balmoral Dr Sacramento, CA	12/21/96	Chris Maxson	(915) 488-4263
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/21/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Type II Tournament	2731 Sandy Plains Rd , GA	12/21/96	Steve Frazier	(770) 592-9962
The Gaming Realm - Hagerstown	41 S Potomac St Hagerstown, MD	12/21/96	Tony Ordona	(301) 745-5973
Type II Tournament	4898 Hwy 421 E Boone, NC	12/21/96	Jubal Danner	(704) 264-0827
Paradise Comics - Type II	112 W High St Oxford, OH	12/21/96	Walter Huber	(513) 523-7212
Type II Tournament	5623 Williamson Rd NW Roanoke, VA	12/21/96	Pete Hoefling	(540) 362-4400
Pendragon Weekly - Type II	122 N Main St Barre, VT	12/21/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
Bat Cave Type II Tournament	6415 E Mill Plain Blvd Vancouver, WA	12/21/96	Bradley Anderson	(360) 694-4947
Type II Tournament	24 S Main St Oconomowoc, WI	12/21/96	Kelly Henrickson	(414) 569-6165
Type II Tournament	347 W Division St Fond du Lac, WI	12/21/96	Robert Moses	(414) 922-8538
Dragon Magique Type II Tourney	7250 Taschereau, Place Portobe Brossard, QUE	12/22/96	Norman Chu	(514) 671-4275
Type II	6516 E 22nd St Tucson, AZ	12/22/96	Desi Raulston	(520) 790-2246
Artifex Weekly Tourney-Type II	11658 Carmel Mtn Rd San Diego, CA	12/22/96	James Parenti	(619) 487-0589
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/22/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Classic Comics Sunday Type II	1860-A Piedmont Rd NE Atlanta, GA	12/22/96	Brian DePadro	(404) 892-4442
Dragon's Dream	Dragon's Dream Comics - Rome, GA	12/22/96	Dale Manning	(706) 234-7159
Type II Tournament	105 N Bridge St Linden, MI	12/22/96	Raymond Carson	(810) 735-6010
Reality Recess-Amherst	2268 Kresge Dr Amherst, OH	12/22/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Type II Tournament	601 Union Road Monroe, OH	12/22/96	Mike Smith	(513) 520-7162
Beyond Reality Type II Tourney	2 N Balph Ave Pittsburgh, PA	12/22/96	Dave Reed	(412) 766-7474
Knoxville American - Type II	1705 Cumberland Ave Knoxville, TN	12/22/96	Ron McClure	(423) 521-9000
Mega City - Type II	6800 Huebner Rd San Antonio, TX	12/22/96	Jonathan Vandermeer	(210) 614-0913
The Sentry Box Tournaments	1835 10th Ave SW Calgary, AB	12/24/96	Greg Latour	(403) 245-2121
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/24/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Borderland's - Ice Age	267 Commercial S Salem, OR	12/24/96	Nate Jones	(503) 399-3597
Heroes & Dragons - Type II	1563 B Broad River Road Columbia, SC	12/24/96	Harold Snipes	(803) 731-4376
The Jester's Court Type II	11841 N 19th Avenue Phoenix, AZ	12/26/96	Billy Williams	(602) 943-8038
Deck Master	The Hidden Guild Lake Worth, FL	12/26/96	Roger Hart	(407) 965-6692
Weekly Tournaments	US 70 East Drexel, NC	12/26/96	Joe Williams	(704) 433-7521
A Place To Play Type II Tourn	2061 Lincoln Ave San Jose, CA	12/27/96	Dan Ostler	(408) 448-2658
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/27/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Classic Comics Friday Type II	1860-A Piedmont Rd NE Atlanta, GA	12/27/96	Brian DePadro	(404) 892-4442
The Gaming Realm - Frederick	69 Market St Frederick, MD	12/27/96	Tony Ordona	(301) 662-4263
Mint Card Co - Type II Tourn	7425 Baltimore-Maryland Rd Glen Burne, MD	12/27/96	Terry Mahoney	(410) 766-8071
Dreamers Sportscards & More	8332 Hwy 7 St Louis Park, MN	12/27/96	Doug Leyda	(612) 938-8163
Gathering Ground - Type II	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	12/27/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
Boyhood Dreams Weekly Tourney	300 North Ave Dunellen, NJ	12/27/96	William Gunn	(908) 752-0440
Tales Twice Told Weekly Tourn	546 Westcott Street Syracuse, NY	12/27/96	Tim Nortz	(315) 475-5925
Multiverse Tournament-Type II	1265 Montauk Highway Mastic, NY	12/27/96	Keith Myers	(516) 281-7420
Reality Recess-Amherst	2268 Kresge Dr Amherst, OH	12/27/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Pendragon/WCYS Game Night	Mountpelier City Hall Mountpelier, VT	12/27/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
Beyond Fantasy - Type II	16205 Stony Plain Road Edmonton, AB	12/28/96	Robert Denis	(403) 483-2669
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	12/28/96	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/28/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Type II Tournament	173 East Main St Newark, DE	12/28/96	John Corradin	(302) 366-0963
Type II Tournament	2731 Sandy Plains Rd , GA	12/28/96	Steve Frazier	(770) 592-9962
The Gaming Realm - Hagerstown	41 S Potomac St Hagerstown, MD	12/28/96	Tony Ordona	(301) 662-4263
Gathering Ground - Type II	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	12/28/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	12/28/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Pastimes - Type II	Pastimes Sportscards & Comics Wilmette, OH	12/28/96	Alan Hochman	(847) 251-9004
Type II Tournament	914 Henrietta Ave Huntingdon Valley, PA	12/28/96	Paul Ferker	(215) 379-1501
Saturday Ice Age Tournament	107 E Market St Kingsport, TN	12/28/96	Dewayne Chase	(423) 247-8997
Mike's Arena - Type II	1325 Timbergrove Drive Knoxville, TN	12/28/96	Michael McSurley	(423) 531-1959
Type II Tournament	Wizards Of The Desert Moab, UT	12/28/96	Lx Skye	(801) 259-2361
Type II Tournament	5623 Williamson Rd NW Roanoke, VA	12/28/96	Pete Hoefling	(540) 562-4400
Pendragon Weekly - Type II	122 N Main St Barre, VT	12/28/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
Type II	6516 E 22nd St Tucson, AZ	12/29/96	Desi Raulston	(520) 790-2246
Artifex Weekly Tourney-Type II	11658 Carmel Mtn Rd San Diego, CA	12/29/96	James Parenti	(619) 487-0589
	453 Stony Point Rd Santa Rosa, CA	12/29/96	Andrew Cosman	(707) 575-5797
Slam Fest	6325 1/2 Laurel Canyon Blvd North Hollywood, CA	12/29/96	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
Triple Play's Type II	31907 Mission Trail Lake Elsinore, CA	12/29/96	Jeremy Grenemyer	(909) 674-3487
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/29/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Classic Comics Sunday Type II	1860-A Piedmont Rd NE Atlanta, GA	12/29/96	Brian DePadro	(404) 892-4442
Mighty Mick's Type II	2404 West End Ave Nashville, TN	12/29/96	Micky Bessone	(615) 320-7000
Mega City - Type II	6800 Huebner Rd San Antonio, TX	12/29/96	Jonathan Vandermeer	(210) 614-0913
The Sentry Box Tournaments	1835 10th Ave SW Calgary, AB	12/31/96	Greg Latour	(403) 245-2121
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/31/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Heroes & Dragons - Type II	1563 B Broad River Road Columbia, SC	12/31/96	Harold Snipes	(803) 731-4376
The Jester's Court Type II	11841 N 19th Avenue Phoenix, AZ	1/2/97	Billy Williams	(602) 943-8038
Reality Recess-Amherst	2268 Kresge Dr Amherst, OH	1/3/97	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
	ROHNERT PARK, CA	1/4/97	Lee Henderson	(707) 795-0181
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	1/4/97	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
The Gaming Realm - Hagerstown	41 S Potomac St Hagerstown, MD	1/4/97	Tony Ordona	(301) 745-5973
Type II Tournament	4898 Hwy 421 E Boone, NC	1/4/97	Jubal Danner	(704) 264-0827
Saturday Type II Tournament	107 E Market St Kingsport, TN	1/4/97	Dewayne Chase	(423) 247-8997
Type II Tournament	3rd Floor Thompson Student Cen St John's, NF	1/5/97	David Furey	(709) 722-8945
Type II	6516 E 22nd St Tucson, AZ	1/5/97	Desi Raulston	(520) 790-2246
Slam Fest	6325 1/2 Laurel Canyon Blvd North Hollywood, CA	1/5/97	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
Dragon's Dream Weekly Tourney	Dragon's Dream Comics Rome, GA	1/5/97	Dale Manning	(706) 234-7159
Beyond Reality Type II Tourney	2 N Balph Ave Pittsburgh, PA	1/5/97	Dave Reed	(412) 766-7474
Mega City - Ice Age/Alliance	6800 Huebner Rd San Antonio, TX	1/5/97	Jonathan Vandermeer	(210) 614-0913
Cool Games - Type II	3112 N Jupiter Garland, TX	1/5/97	Jason Regan	(214) 496-3547
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	1/7/97	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Reality Recess-Amherst	2268 Kresge Dr Amherst, OH	1/10/97	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	1/11/97	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
Mirage Tournament	555 Benson Valano, CA	1/11/97	John Paiva	(909) 621-3459
Krantz Hobby's Monthly Tourn	2014 S St Aubin St Sioux City, IA	1/11/97	Ronald Thompson	(712) 726-7079
The Gaming Realm - Hagerstown	41 S Potomac St Hagerstown, MD	1/11/97	Tony Ordona	(301) 745-5973
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	1/11/97	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Saturday Type II Tournament	107 E Market St Kingsport, TN	1/11/97	Dewayne Chase	(423) 247-8997
Type II	6516 E 22nd St Tucson, AZ	1/12/97	Desi Raulston	(520) 790-2246
Slam Fest	6325 1/2 Laurel Canyon Blvd North Hollywood, CA	1/12/97	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
Reality Recess-Amherst	2268 Kresge Dr Amherst, OH	1/12/97	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Mega City - Type II	6800 Huebner Rd San Antonio, TX	1/12/97	Jonathan Vandermeer	(210) 614-0913
Cool Games - Type II	3112 N Jupiter Garland, TX	1/12/97	Jason Regan	(214) 496-3547
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	1/14/97	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Reality Recess-Amherst	2268 Kresge Dr Amherst, OH	1/17/97	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	1/18/97	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
The Gaming Realm - Hagerstown	41 S Potomac St Hagerstown, MD	1/18/97	Tony Ordona	(301) 745-5973
Type II Tournament	4898 Hwy 421 E Boone, NC	1/18/97	Jubal Danner	(704) 264-0827
Saturday Type II Tournament	107 E Market St Kingsport, TN	1/18/97	Dewayne Chase	(423) 247-8997
Slamfest	6325 1/2 Laurel Canyon Blvd North Hollywood, CA	1/19/97	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
Dragon's Dream Weekly Tourney	Dragon's Dream Comics Rome, GA	1/19/97	Dale Manning	(706) 234-7159
Beyond Reality Type II Tourney	2 N Balph Ave Pittsburgh, PA	1/19/97	Dave Reed	(412) 766-7474
Mega City - Type II	6800 Huebner Rd San Antonio, TX	1/19/97	Jonathan Vandermeer	(210) 614-0913
Cool Games - Type II	3112 N Jupiter Garland, TX	1/19/97	Jason Regan	(214) 496-3547
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	1/21/97	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Slamfest	6325 1/2 Laurel Canyon Blvd North Hollywood, CA	1/22/97	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
Reality Recess-Amherst	2268 Kresge Dr Amherst, OH	1/24/97	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
M Quest Presents Type II Tourn	353 Sherbourne St Toronto, ON	1/25/97	Marvin Pagtanjan	(905) 524-5725
NW Arkansas Winter Quest	700 Rogers Fort Smith, AR	1/25/97	Michael Boze	(501) 783-6088
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	1/25/97	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
Type II Sanctioned Tourney	155 N 7th Salina, KS	1/25/97	Jay Krob	(913) 826-1810
The Gaming Realm - Hagerstown	41 S Potomac St Hagerstown, MD	1/25/97	Tony Ordona	(301) 745-5973
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	1/25/97	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Saturday Type II Tournament	107 E Market St Kingsport, TN	1/25/97	Dewayne Chase	(423) 247-8997
Type II	6516 E 22nd St Tucson, AZ	1/26/97	Desi Raulston	(520) 790-2246
Reality Recess-Amherst	2268 Kresge Dr Amherst, OH	1/26/97	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Mega City - Type II	6800 Huebner Rd San Antonio, TX	1/26/97	Jonathan Vandermeer	(210) 614-0913
Cool Games - Type II	3112 N Jupiter Garland, TX	1/26/97	Jason Regan	(214) 496-3547
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	1/28/97	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008

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Artifex Weekly Tourney-Booster	11658 Carmel Mtn Rd San Diego, CA	11/12/96	James Parenti	(619) 487-0589
Ice Age/All Sealed Tournament	1214 S University Ann Arbor, MI	11/12/96	Swami Cross	(313) 663-6646
Adventurer's Guildhouse Weekly	G-3362 S Saginaw Burton, MI	11/12/96	Lou Pulliam	(810) 742-8703
Classic Comics Wed Booster	1860-A Piedmont Rd NE Atlanta, GA	11/13/96	Brian DePadro	(404) 892-4442
Dreamers Sports Cards & More	8332 Highway 7 St Louis Park, MN	11/13/96	Nick Csercse	(612) 938-8163
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/14/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Fridays At First	29576 Mission Blvd Hayward, CA	11/15/96	Jeffrey Ferreira	(510) 582-1893
Fantasy Gamer's Guild Tourney	Humbolt State University Arcata, CA	11/15/96	Daniel Pryor	(707) 444-3435
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	11/15/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Reckoning Of Champions IV	70 N East Avenue Fayetteville, AR	11/16/96	John Hopping	(501) 444-0707
Superstars November Tournament	19700 Stevens Creek Blvd Cupertino, CA	11/16/96	Ron Angeli	(408) 777-8277
Wizard's Joust VIII 1/2	Castle Games Rohnert Park, CA	11/16/96	Chuck Gegax	(707) 585-8609
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	11/16/96	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
You Con 14	5255 Cochran Simi Valley, CA	11/16/96	Jamey S Parker	(805) 579-0313
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/16/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Dragon's Dream Weekly Tourney	Dragon's Dream Comics Rome, GA	11/16/96	Dale Manning	(706) 234-7159
Hansen's V $1,000-Sealed	7655 W. Dempster Chicago, IL	11/16/96	Todd Hansen	(847) 853-1994
Hansen's V $1,000-Ice Age	7655 W. Dempster Chicago, IL	11/16/96	Todd Hansen	(847) 853-1994
West Michigan Merfolk-Booster	Grand Haven Community Center Grand Haven, MI	11/16/96	John Hoslett	(616) 399-3824
West Michigan Merfolk-Mirage	Grand Haven Community Center Grand Haven, MI	11/16/96	John Hoslett	(616) 399-3824
Sealed	BDC Bike, Sports & Game Cards Shelby Twp, MI	11/16/96	James Babin, Sr	(810) 997-6994
Gathering Ground - Sealed	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	11/16/96	Ron Powell	(314) 629-2500
Wolf's Lair Ice Age Sealed	43 Chestnut Street Oneonta, NY	11/16/96	Keith Kreger	(607) 733-1035
Mirage Sealed	601 Union Road Monroe, OH	11/16/96	Mike Smith	(513) 520-7162
Pastimes - Sealed Deck	Pastimes Sportscards & Comics Wilmette, OH	11/16/96	Alan Hochman	(847) 251-9004
Sealed Deck Tournament	914 Henrietta Ave Huntingdon Valley, PA	11/16/96	Paul Ferker	(215) 379-1501
M & M Sportscards-Sealed Deck	344 Main Street Royersford, PA	11/16/96	Donna Mabry	(610) 948-1080
Sealed Deck Tournament	1191-I Fort Campbell Blvd Clarksville, TN	11/16/96	Ken Hawkins	(615) 553-0391
Ice Age Tournament	1191-I Fort Campbell Blvd Clarksville, TN	11/16/96	Ken Hawkins	(615) 553-0391
Ice Age Sealed Tournament	1191-I Fort Campbell Blvd Clarksville, TN	11/16/96	Ken Hawkins	(615) 553-0391
A year ago, we banned the Chan	Lubbock, TX	11/16/96	The Mad Hatter	(806) 763-4054
Sealed Deck Tournament	Wizards Of The Desert Moab, UT	11/16/96	Lx Skye	(801) 259-2361
Mirage Sealed Deck-Orem, UT	Utah Valley State College Orem, UT	11/16/96	Karl Batdorff	(801) 491-8262
Pendragon Weekly - Sealed	122 N Main St Barre, VT	11/16/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
Ice Age Sealed Deck Tournament	16205 Stoney Plain Rd Edmonton, AB	11/17/96	Dave Kurylo	(403) 485-2669
Reckoning Of Champions IV	Hilton Hotel Fayetteville, AR	11/17/96	Roger Hightower	(501) 444-8445
A Place To Play Sealed Deck	2061 Lincoln Ave San Jose, CA	11/17/96	Dan Ostler	(408) 448-2658
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/17/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Pandoras Box - Mirage Sealed	8507 Baltimore Ave College Park, MD	11/17/96	Biren Amin	(301) 474-4931
Booster Draft Tournament	Crystal Clear Waters Hobbies Biddeford, ME	11/17/96	William Waters	(207) 985-4998
Sealed Deck Tournament	105 N Bridge St Linden, MI	11/17/96	Raymond Carson	(810) 735-6010
Gathering Ground - Sealed	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	11/17/96	Ron Powell	(314) 629-2500
Sealed Tournament	2820 N Glenstone Hwy 44 Springfield, MO	11/17/96	Muhammad Ghani	(417) 889-8760
Heroes & Dragons - Sealed Deck	1563 B Broad River Road Columbia, SC	11/17/96	Harold Snipes	(803) 731-4376
Knoxville American - IA Sealed	1705 Cumberland Ave Knoxville, TN	11/17/96	Ron McClure	(423) 521-9000
Mighty Mick's Sealed Deck	2404 West End Ave Nashville, TN	11/17/96	Micky Bessone	(615) 320-7000
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/18/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Artifex Weekly Tourney-Sealed	11658 Carmel Mtn Rd San Diego, CA	11/19/96	James Parenti	(619) 487-0589
Adventurer's Guildhouse Weekly	G-3362 S Saginaw Burton, MI	11/19/96	Lou Pulliam	(810) 742-8703
Borderland's - Ice Age Sealed	267 Commercial S Salem, OR	11/19/96	Nate Jones	(503) 399-3597
Classic Comics Wed Booster	1860-A Piedmont Rd NE Atlanta, GA	11/20/96	Brian DePadro	(404) 892-4442
Dreamers Sports Cards & More	8332 Highway 7 St Louis Park, MN	11/20/96	Nick Csercse	(612) 938-8163
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/21/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
SAGA	Sussex, NB	11/22/96	Timothy Smith	(506) 433-6406
Sealed Deck Tournament	6393 9th Street N St Petersburg, FL	11/22/96	Susan Correa	(813) 524-1560
Foxfire '96	Cessna Activity Center Wichita, KS	11/22/96	Edward Fox	(316) 522-5331
ShaunCon XIII	Hwy 70 & Longview Rd Kansas City, MO	11/22/96	R. Alan Grimes	(816) 455-5020
Bronze Tablet - Sealed Deck	2595 Chandler Ave Las Vegas, NV	11/22/96	Michael Kazee	(702) 736-4657
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	11/22/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Beyond Fantasy - Mirage Sealed	16205 Stony Plain Road Edmonton, AB	11/23/96	Robert Denis	(403) 485-2669
Ice Age Sealed Deck Tournament	3967 Woodward Blvd Windsor, ON	11/23/96	George Clark	(519) 969-7271
Barrie Challenge II-IA Sealed	320 Bayfield St Barrie, ON	11/23/96	Les Ervin	(705) 734-3903
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	11/23/96	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/23/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Comic Gallery - Sealed	13756 SW 84th St. Miami, FL	11/23/96	Frank Shefner	(305) 385-4714
Dragon's Dream Weekly Tourney	Dragon's Dream Comics Rome, GA	11/23/96	Dale Manning	(706) 234-7159
Krantz Hobby's Mirage Mania	2014 S St Aubin St Sioux City, IA	11/23/96	Ronald Thompson	(712) 726-7079
Foxfire '96	817 W 34th Street South - Wichita, KS	11/23/96	Edward Fox	(316) 522-5331
Foxfire '96 Booster	817 W 34th Street South - Wichita, KS	11/23/96	Edward Fox	(316) 522-5331
Sealed	BDC Bike, Sports & Game Cards Shelby Twp, MI	11/23/96	James Babin, Sr	(810) 997-6994
Gathering Ground - Sealed	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	11/23/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
Pitsburg Comicon	Monroeville, PA	11/23/96	Michael George	N/A
Sealed Deck Tournament	914 Henrietta Ave Huntingdon Valley, PA	11/23/96	Paul Ferker	(215) 379-1501
The Masoleum Weekly	3405 Keith St Clevland, TN	11/23/96	Angela Hitson	(423) 977-9153
Masoleum Weekly	2260 Gunbarrel Rd Chattanooga, TN	11/23/96	David Adkins	(423) 977-9153
Sealed Deck Tournament	Wizards Of The Desert Moab, UT	11/23/96	Lx Skye	(801) 259-2361
Pendragon Weekly - Sealed	122 N Main St Barre, VT	11/23/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
A Place To Play Sealed Deck	2061 Lincoln Ave San Jose, CA	11/24/96	Dan Ostler	(408) 448-2658
CCCGC Gathering - Booster	U Of C @ Berkeley Berkeley, CA	11/24/96	Sean Chen	(510) 704-0830
	453 Stony Point Rd Santa Rosa, CA	11/24/96	Andrew Cosman	(707) 575-5797
Slam Fest	11547 Burbank Blvd N Hollywood, CA	11/24/96	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/24/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Foxfire '96	817 W 34th Street South - Wichita, KS	11/24/96	Edward Fox	(316) 522-5331
Foxfire '96 Booster	817 W 34th Street South - Wichita, KS	11/24/96	Edward Fox	(316) 522-5331
Gathering Ground - Sealed	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	11/24/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
Heroes & Dragons - Sealed Deck	1563 B Broad River Road Columbia, SC	11/24/96	Harold Snipes	(803) 731-4376
The Game Cave - Sealed Deck	11-B Elliewood Ave Charlottsville, VA	11/24/96	Craig O'Brien	(804) 984-2810
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/25/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Artifex Weekly Tourney-Booster	11658 Carmel Mtn Rd San Diego, CA	11/26/96	James Parenti	(619) 487-0589
Adventurer's Guildhouse Weekly	G-3362 S Saginaw Burton, MI	11/26/96	Lou Pulliam	(810) 742-8703
Masoleum Weekly	2104 W Cumberland Ave Knoxville, TN	11/26/96	Angela Hitson	(423) 977-9153
Classic Comics Wed Booster	1860-A Piedmont Rd NE Atlanta, GA	11/27/96	Brian DePadro	(404) 892-4442
Dreamers Sports Cards & More	8332 Highway 7 St Louis Park, MN	11/27/96	Nick Csercse	(612) 938-8163
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/28/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Sealed Deck Tournament	2156 Hwy 31 S Birmingham, AL	11/29/96	Rick Byrd	(205) 956-0573
Fridays At First	29576 Mission Blvd Hayward, CA	11/29/96	Jeffrey Ferreira	(510) 582-1893
SyndiCon '96 - Sealed	Rt 20 Portage, IN	11/29/96	Carl Cabanas	(219) 763-4802
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	11/29/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
M Quest Presents Sealed Tourn	353 Sherbourne St. Toronto, ON	11/30/96	Marvin Paguirigan	(905) 524-5725
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	11/30/96	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	11/30/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Sealed Deck Tournament	173 East Main St Newark, DE	11/30/96	John Corradin	(302) 366-0963
Dragon's Dream Weekly Tourney	Dragon's Dream Comics Rome, GA	11/30/96	Dale Manning	(706) 234-7159
Castle Con	9100 E Kellogg , KS	11/30/96	Robert Rutherford	(316) 265-3848
Castle Con	216 W 15th N Wichita, KS	11/30/96	Robert Rutherford	(316) 265-3848
Wildcat Cards Mirage Sealed	1812 N Claflin Manhattan, KS	11/30/96	Coy Kissee	(913) 587-1977
Sealed Deck Sanctioned Tourney	155 N 7th Salina, KS	11/30/96	Jay Krob	(913) 826-1810
Sealed	BDC Bike, Sports & Game Cards Shelby Twp, MI	11/30/96	James Babin, Sr	(810) 957-6994
Dreamers Sportscards & More	8332 Hwy 7 St Louis Park, MN	11/30/96	Doug Leyda	(612) 938-8163
Gathering Ground - Sealed	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	11/30/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
Booster Draft	4898 Hwy 421 E Boone, NC	11/30/96	Jubal Danner	(704) 264-0827
	7380 S Eastern Las Vegas, NV	11/30/96	Darryl Wilson	(702) 260-4924
Spellbinders Kent-IA Sealed	257 S Water St Kent, OH	11/30/96	Paul Burdick	(330) 673-2230
Ice Age Sealed	601 Union Road Monroe, OH	11/30/96	Mike Smith	(513) 520-7162
Sealed Deck Tournament	914 Henrietta Ave Huntingdon Valley, PA	11/30/96	Paul Ferker	(215) 379-1501
M & M Sportscards-Sealed Deck	344 Main Street Royersford, PA	11/30/96	Donna Mabry	(610) 948-1080
S Carolina State Championship	Big Ron's Card Connection Columbia, SC	11/30/96	J B Cantey	(803) 432-0210
Type II	The Masoleum Knoxville, TN	11/30/96	Angela Hitson	(423) 977-9153
Ice Age Sealed Deck	2404 West End Ave Nashville, TN	11/30/96	Micky Bessone	(615) 320-7000
Sealed Deck Tournament	1191-I Fort Campbell Blvd Clarksville, TN	11/30/96	Ken Hawkins	(615) 553-0391
Ice Age Sealed Tournament	1191-I Fort Campbell Blvd Clarksville, TN	11/30/96	Ken Hawkins	(615) 553-0391
Sealed Deck Tournament	Wizards Of The Desert Moab, UT	11/30/96	Lx Skye	(801) 259-2361
Pendragon Weekly - Sealed	122 N Main St Barre, VT	11/30/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
A Place To Play Sealed Deck	2061 Lincoln Ave San Jose, CA	12/1/96	Dan Ostler	(408) 448-2658
Artifex Weekly Tourney-Sealed	11658 Carmel Mtn Rd San Diego, CA	12/1/96	James Parenti	(619) 487-0589
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/1/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Castle Con	9100 E Kellogg , KS	12/1/96	Robert Rutherford	(316) 265-3848
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Sealed Deck Tournament	105 N Bridge St Linden, MI	12/1/96	Raymond Carson	(810) 735-6010
Gathering Ground - Sealed	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	12/1/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
Reality Recess-Amherst	2268 Kresge Dr Amherst, OH	12/1/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Pastimes - Sealed Deck	Pastimes Sportscards & Comics Wilmette, OH	12/1/96	Alan Hochman	(847) 251-9004
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/2/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Artifex Weekly Tourney-Sealed	11658 Carmel Mtn Rd San Diego, CA	12/3/96	James Parenti	(619) 487-0589
Adventurer's Guildhouse Weekly	G-3362 S Saginaw Burton, MI	12/3/96	Lou Pulliam	(810) 742-8703
Bronze Tablet - Sealed Deck	2595 Chandler Ave Las Vegas, NV	12/3/96	Michael Kazee	(702) 736-4657
Spellbinders Akron-IA Sealed	5 Meriman Rd Akron, OH	12/3/96	Paul Burdick	(330) 374-7735
Classic Comics Wed Booster	1860-A Piedmont Rd NE Atlanta, GA	12/4/96	Brian DePadro	(404) 892-4442
Dreamers Sports Cards & More	8332 Highway 7 St Louis Park, MN	12/4/96	Nick Csercse	(612) 938-8163
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/5/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	12/6/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Beyond Fantasy - Mirage Sealed	16205 Stony Plain Road Edmonton, AB	12/7/96	Robert Denis	(403) 483-2669
Mojo's Magical Mayhem Sealed	405 W Hopi Dr Holbrook, AZ	12/7/96	Daniel Hill	(520) 524-7333
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The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	12/7/96	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
Sealed Deck Tournament	3335 Balmoral Dr Sacramento, CA	12/7/96	Chris Maxson	(915) 488-4263
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/7/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Dragon's Dream Weekly Tourney	Dragon's Dream Comics Rome, GA	12/7/96	Dale Manning	(706) 234-7159
Mirage Sealed Deck Tournament	Mediascape Richmond, KY	12/7/96	Ron Flickinger	(606) 625-9300
Sealed	BDC Bike, Sports & Game Cards Shelby Twp, MI	12/7/96	James Babin, Sr	(810) 997-6994
Gathering Ground - Sealed	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	12/7/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
Gathering Ground - Type II	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	12/7/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	12/7/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Pastimes - Booster Draft	Pastimes Sportscards & Comics Wilmette, OH	12/7/96	Alan Hochman	(847) 251-9004
Borderland's - Booster Draft	267 Commercial S Salem, OR	12/7/96	Nate Jones	(503) 399-3597
Sealed Deck Tournament	914 Henrietta Ave Huntingdon Valley, PA	12/7/96	Paul Ferker	(215) 379-1501
Heroes & Dragons - Sealed Deck	1563 B Broad River Road Columbia, SC	12/7/96	Harold Snipes	(803) 731-4376
Chattanooga American-IA Sealed	6787 Lee Hwy Chattanooga, TN	12/7/96	Ron McClure	(423) 490-0501
A Chaos Orb for Chanukah!	Lubbock, TX	12/7/96	The Mad Hatter	(806) 763-4054
Sealed Deck Tournament	Wizards Of The Desert Moab, UT	12/7/96	Lx Skye	(801) 259-2361
Pendragon Weekly - Sealed	122 N Main St Barre, VT	12/7/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
A Place To Play Sealed Deck	2061 Lincoln Ave San Jose, CA	12/8/96	Dan Ostler	(408) 448-2658
Slam Fest	11547 Burbank Blvd N Hollywood, CA	12/8/96	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
Triple Play's Sealed-Mir/All	31907 Mission Trail Lake Elsinore, CA	12/8/96	Jeremy Grenemyer	(909) 674-3487
Sealed Deck	7821 Wadsworth Blvd Arvada, CO	12/8/96	Derek Rolvsbakken	(303) 436-3236
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/8/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Gathering Ground - Sealed	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	12/8/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
	Comic Town 4 Columbus, OH	12/8/96	Geoffrey Hatten	(614) 262-5006
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/9/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Artifex Weekly Tourney-Booster	11658 Carmel Mtn Rd San Diego, CA	12/10/96	James Parenti	(619) 487-0589
Adventurer's Guildhouse Weekly	G-3362 S Saginaw Burton, MI	12/10/96	Lou Pulliam	(810) 742-8703
Classic Comics Wed Booster	1860-A Piedmont Rd NE Atlanta, GA	12/11/96	Brian DePadro	(404) 892-4442
Dreamers Sports Cards & More	8332 Highway 7 St Louis Park, MN	12/11/96	Nick Csercse	(612) 938-8163
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/12/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	12/13/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
401 Ways To Die Part II	401 Yonge St Toronto, ON	12/14/96	Jeff MacDougall	(416) 599-6446
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	12/14/96	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/14/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Dragon's Dream Weekly Tourney	Dragon's Dream Comics Rome, GA	12/14/96	Dale Manning	(706) 234-7159
	11585 Jones Bridge Rd Alpharetta, GA	12/14/96	Jim Kapper	(770) 569-2083
Sealed	BDC Bike, Sports & Game Cards Shelby Twp, MI	12/14/96	James Babin, Sr	(810) 997-6994
Gathering Ground - Sealed	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	12/14/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
Sealed Deck Tournament	4898 Hwy 421 E Boone, NC	12/14/96	Jubal Danner	(704) 264-0827
	Superhero City Sicklerville, NJ	12/14/96	Frank Cataldi	(609) 629-0722
Sealed Deck Tournament	601 Union Road Monroe, OH	12/14/96	Mike Smith	(513) 520-7162
The Great Snow Ball Shoot Out	Fairfield Bowling Lanes , OH	12/14/96	Rick Thacker	(800) 591-6832
Sealed Deck Tournament	914 Henrietta Ave Huntingdon Valley, PA	12/14/96	Paul Ferker	(215) 379-1501
M & M Sportscards-Sealed Deck	344 Main Street Royersford, PA	12/14/96	Donna Mabry	(610) 948-1080
Heroes & Dragons - Sealed Deck	1563 B Broad River Road Columbia, SC	12/14/96	Harold Snipes	(803) 731-4376
The Masoleum Weekly	3405 Keith St Clevland, TN	12/14/96	Angela Hitson	(423) 977-9153
Gamefest Sealed Dck Tournament	2007 Strawberry Pasadena, TX	12/14/96	Champ Thompson	(713) 946-2328
Sealed Deck Tournament	Wizards Of The Desert Moab, UT	12/14/96	Lx Skye	(801) 259-2361
Pendragon Weekly - Sealed	122 N Main St Barre, VT	12/14/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
Sealed Deck Tournament	547 W Division St Fond du Lac, WI	12/14/96	Robert Moses	(414) 922-8338
A Place To Play Sealed Deck	2061 Lincoln Ave San Jose, CA	12/15/96	Dan Ostler	(408) 448-2658
Slam Fest	11547 Burbank Blvd N Hollywood, CA	12/15/96	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/15/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Hansen's VI $1,000-Sealed	Hillside Holiday Inn Hillside, IL	12/15/96	Todd Hansen	(847) 853-1994
Hansen's VI $1,000-Ice Age	Hillside Holiday Inn Hillside, IL	12/15/96	Todd Hansen	(847) 853-1994
Ice Age/All Sealed Tournament	1214 S University Ann Arbor, MI	12/15/96	Swami Cross	(313) 663-6646
Sealed Deck Tournament	105 N Bridge St Linden, MI	12/15/96	Raymond Carson	(810) 735-6010
Gathering Ground - Sealed	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	12/15/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
Knoxville American - IA Sealed	1705 Cumberland Ave Knoxville, TN	12/15/96	Ron McClure	(423) 521-9000
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/16/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Artifex Weekly Tourney-Sealed	11658 Carmel Mtn Rd San Diego, CA	12/17/96	James Parenti	(619) 487-0589
Adventurer's Guildhouse Weekly	G-3362 S Saginaw Burton, MI	12/17/96	Lou Pulliam	(810) 742-8703
Masoleum Weekly	2104 W Cumberland Ave Knoxville, TN	12/17/96	David Adkins	(423) 977-9153
Dreamers Sports Cards & More	8332 Highway 7 St Louis Park, MN	12/18/96	Nick Csercse	(612) 938-8163
Classic Comics Wed Booster	2714 Dover Garden Arlington, TX	12/18/96	Brian DePadro	(404) 892-4442
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/19/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Gamesters Night - Sealed Deck	8383 SW 40th Street Miami, FL	12/20/96	Orencio Cardenas	(305) 226-4267
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	12/20/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Beyond Fantasy - Mirage Sealed	16205 Stony Plain Road Edmonton, AB	12/21/96	Robert Denis	(403) 483-2669
Sealed Deck Tournament	2156 Hwy 31 S Birmingham, AL	12/21/96	Rick Byrd	(205) 956-0573
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	12/21/96	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
You Con 15	5255 Cochran Simi Valley, CA	12/21/96	Jamey S Parker	(805) 579-0313
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/21/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Dragon's Dream Weekly Tourney	Dragon's Dream Comics Rome, GA	12/21/96	Dale Manning	(706) 234-7159
	11585 Jones Bridge Rd Alpharetta, GA	12/21/96	Jim Kapper	(770) 569-2083
Sealed	BDC Bike, Sports & Game Cards Shelby Twp, MI	12/21/96	James Babin, Sr	(810) 997-6994
Gathering Ground - Sealed	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	12/21/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
Sealed Deck Tournament	914 Henrietta Ave Huntingdon Valley, PA	12/21/96	Paul Ferker	(215) 379-1501
Heroes & Dragons - Sealed Deck	1563 B Broad River Road Columbia, SC	12/21/96	Harold Snipes	(803) 731-4376
Masoleum Weekly	2260 Gunbarrel Rd Chattanooga, TN	12/21/96	David Adkins	(423) 977-9153
Mighty Micks Sealed Deck	2404 West End Ave Nashville, TN	12/21/96	Micky Bessone	(615) 320-7000
MJM-Sealed Deck	4515 S Georgia Amarillo, TX	12/21/96	Gary Hutson	(806) 358-4515
Sealed Deck Tournament	Wizards Of The Desert Moab, UT	12/21/96	Lx Skye	(801) 259-2361
Pendragon Weekly - Sealed	122 N Main St Barre, VT	12/21/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
A Place To Play Sealed Deck	2061 Lincoln Ave San Jose, CA	12/22/96	Dan Ostler	(408) 448-2658
Triple Play's Draft-Mir/Home	31907 Mission Trail Lake Elsinore, CA	12/22/96	Jeremy Grenemyer	(909) 674-3487
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/22/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Gathering Ground - Sealed	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	12/22/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
	Comic Town 4 Columbus, OH	12/22/96	Geoffrey Hatten	(614) 262-5006
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/23/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Bronze Tablet - Sealed Deck	2595 Chandler Ave Las Vegas, NV	12/23/96	Michael Kazee	(702) 736-4657
Artifex Weekly Tourney-Booster	11658 Carmel Mtn Rd San Diego, CA	12/24/96	James Parenti	(619) 487-0589
Adventurer's Guildhouse Weekly	G-3362 S Saginaw Burton, MI	12/24/96	Lou Pulliam	(810) 742-8703
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/26/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	12/27/96	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	12/28/96	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/28/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Sealed Deck Tournament	173 East Main St Newark, DE	12/28/96	John Corradin	(302) 366-0963
Dragon's Dream Weekly Tourney	Dragon's Dream Comics Rome, GA	12/28/96	Dale Manning	(706) 234-7159
Type I	BDC Bike, Sports & Game Cards Shelby Twp, MI	12/28/96	James Babin, Sr	(810) 997-6994
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Gathering Ground - Sealed	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	12/28/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
Booster Draft Tournament	4898 Hwy 421 E Boone, NC	12/28/96	Jubal Danner	(704) 264-0827
Type II Tournament	1726 S Washington, S Forks P Grand Forks, ND	12/28/96	Nancy Elia	(701) 795-8595
Spellbinders Kent-4th Ed Seal	257 S Water St Kent, OH	12/28/96	Paul Burdick	(330) 673-2230
Sealed Deck Tournament	914 Henrietta Ave Huntingdon Valley, PA	12/28/96	Paul Ferker	(215) 379-1501
M & M Sportscards-Sealed Deck	344 Main Street Royersford, PA	12/28/96	Donna Mabry	(610) 948-1080
Heroes & Dragons - Sealed Deck	1563 B Broad River Road Columbia, SC	12/28/96	Harold Snipes	(803) 731-4376
The Masoleum Weekly	3405 Keith St Clevland, TN	12/28/96	Angela Hitson	(423) 977-9153
Sealed Deck Tournament	Wizards Of The Desert Moab, UT	12/28/96	Lx Skye	(801) 259-2361
Pendragon Weekly - Sealed	122 N Main St Barre, VT	12/28/96	Charles Arnold	(802) 476-7064
A Place To Play Sealed Deck	2061 Lincoln Ave San Jose, CA	12/29/96	Dan Ostler	(408) 448-2658
	453 Stony Point Rd Santa Rosa, CA	12/29/96	Andrew Cosman	(707) 575-5797
Slam Fest	11547 Burbank Blvd N Hollywood, CA	12/29/96	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/29/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Gathering Ground - Sealed	3475 N Lindbergh St Louis, MO	12/29/96	Ron Powell	(314) 770-0022
MagiCon	4231 S. Natches Ct. 7G Englewood, CO	12/30/96	Eric Smith	(303) 781-3895
Adventurer's Guildhouse Weekly	G-3362 S Saginaw Burton, MI	12/31/96	Lou Pulliam	(810) 742-8703
Spellbinders Akron-4th Ed Seal	5 Meriman Rd Akron, OH	12/31/96	Paul Burdick	(330) 374-7735
Borderland's - Sealed Deck	267 Commercial S Salem, OR	12/31/96	Nate Jones	(503) 399-3597
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	1/3/97	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	1/4/97	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
Dragon's Dream Weekly Tourney	Dragon's Dream Comics Rome, GA	1/4/97	Dale Manning	(706) 234-7159
Sealed Deck Tournament	3120 45th Street Highland, IN	1/4/97	Cathy Buksar	(219) 922-4855
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	1/4/97	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Slam Fest	11547 Burbank Blvd N Hollywood, CA	1/5/97	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
Reality Recess-Amherst	2268 Kresge Dr Amherst, OH	1/5/97	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	1/10/97	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	1/11/97	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
Dragon's Dream Weekly Tourney	Dragon's Dream Comics Rome, GA	1/11/97	Dale Manning	(706) 234-7159
Slam Fest	11547 Burbank Blvd N Hollywood, CA	1/12/97	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	1/17/97	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	1/18/97	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
Mirage Sealed Deck Tournament	555 Benson Valano, CA	1/18/97	John Paiva	(909) 621-3459
Dragon's Dream Weekly Tourney	Dragon's Dream Comics Rome, GA	1/18/97	Dale Manning	(706) 234-7159
Type II	6516 E 22nd St Tucson, AZ	1/19/97	Desi Raulston	(520) 790-2246
Slam Fest	11547 Burbank Blvd N Hollywood, CA	1/19/97	Eric Severson	(818) 763-4748
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Reality Recess-N Olmsted	26649 Brookpark Rd Ext N Olmsted, OH	1/24/97	Thomas King	(216) 779-7008
M Quest Presents Sealed Tourn	353 Sherbourne St. Toronto, ON	1/25/97	Marvin Paguirigan	(905) 524-5725
The Saturday Gathering	610 W 18th St Costa Mesa, CA	1/25/97	Scott Larabee	(714) 824-7085
Dragon's Dream Weekly Tourney	Dragon's Dream Comics Rome, GA	1/25/97	Dale Manning	(706) 234-7159
Sealed Deck Sanctioned Tourney	155 N 7th Salina, KS	1/25/97	Jay Krob	(913) 826-1810
Booster Draft Tournament	4898 Hwy 421 E Boone, NC	1/25/97	Jubal Danner	(704) 264-0827

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Here's What's Coming Up on the Pro Tour Schedule

Date:
February 28–March 1, 1997

Site:
The Queen Mary ocean liner, Long Beach, CA

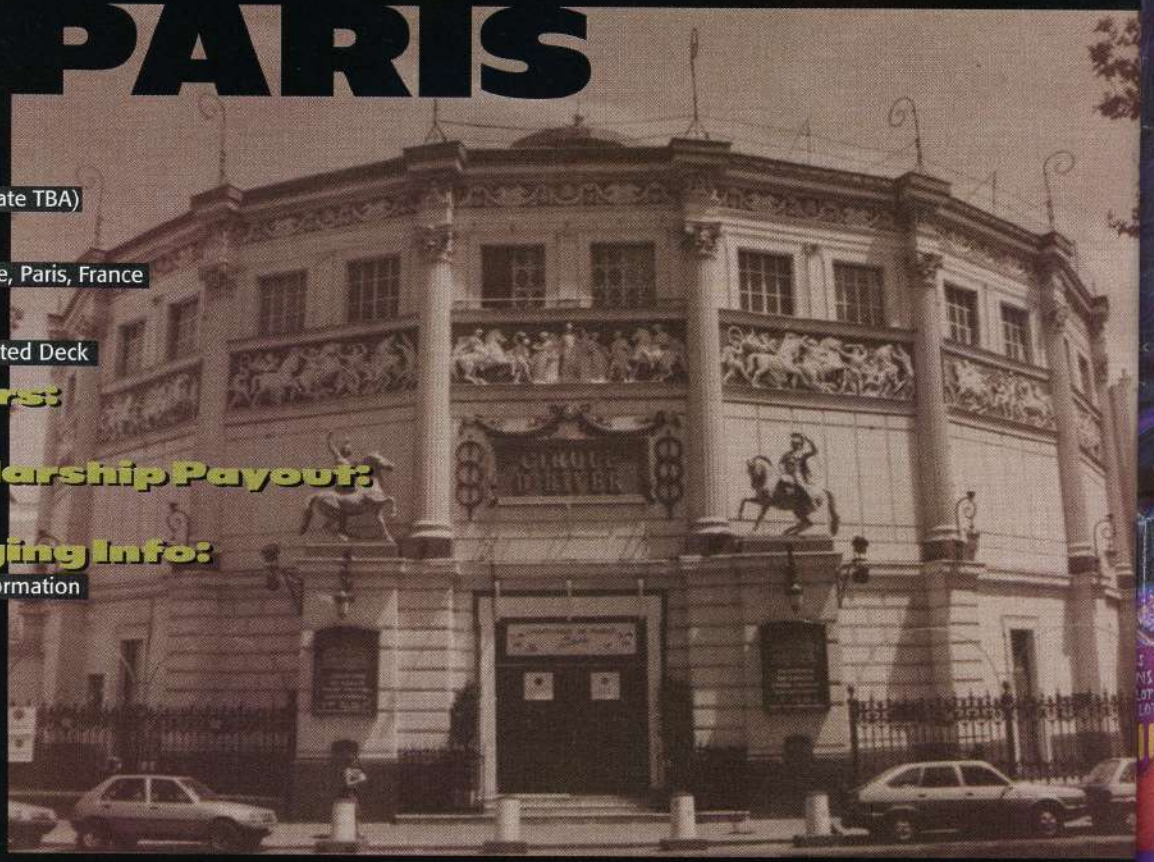
Format:
Mirage/Visions Rochester Draft

Competitors:
256 Masters/128 Juniors

Cash/Scholarship Payout:
$150,000 Masters/$30,000 Juniors

Hotel/Lodging Info:
The Hotel Queen Mary, 1126 Queens Highway,
Long Beach, CA 90802
(310) 435-3511, or (800) 437-2934

PARIS



Date:
Mid-April, 1997 (exact date TBA)

Site:
Cirque D'Hiver Bouglione, Paris, France

Format:
Mirage/Visions Constructed Deck

Competitors:
250 Masters only

Cash/Scholarship Payout:
$150,000 Masters only

Hotel/Lodging Info:
TBA; watch for more information
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